

Local MS Support Group Meets; Discusses Research Benefit Walk

Betsy Colaw was the special guest at the March meeting of the Garrett County Multiple Sclerosis Self-Help Support Group Monday night at the BPO Elks Lodge #2481 in Oakland.

Colaw, organizer of the April 4 Super Cities Walk for MS Research, and Gerald Wildesen, walk supporter and fund-raiser, reported that over 75 walkers have registered and a total of 100 walkers is expected by April 4. She is excited about the support being provided by local businesses, many who have organized a company team for the walk in addition to making a donation. Walkers will be treated to fresh fruit for breakfast donated by Farmers' Market; donuts provided by Browning's Foodland; juice provided by McDonald's; products donated by Pepsi-Cola, and pizza for lunch provided by Pizza Hut. The Republican newspaper was thanked for the advertising space and coverage they have provided to promote the walk.

Registration will be accepted until the starting time of the walk, 8 a.m. on April 4. The walk will begin at Dennett Road School and wind through Broadford Park for a distance of five miles, and will be held rain (snow) or shine. Walkers may solicit pledges per mile or for the total distance. Colaw may be reached for information or registration at 334-4880.

Approximately 16 per-

sons were in attendance at the support group meeting and many extended their thanks and appreciation to Colaw and Wildesen for the work they are doing to help find a cure for MS.

The next meeting of the Garrett County MS Self-Help Support Group will be April 15 beginning at 7 p.m. at the Elks Lodge with guest speaker Dr. Stewart Callia. Dr. Callia, a physiologist at Garrett Memorial Hospital, will speak on the emotional consequences of the disease.

The Elks Lodge is wheelchair accessible, and persons with MS, their families and friends are all invited to attend the support group meetings. For more information on the support group interested persons may call Judy Smith at 387-4926.

Parish Revival Services Slated

The Mountaintop Cooperative Parish, of Preston County, will hold revivals at three locations, April 5, 6, and 7, with all services slated to begin at 7:30 p.m.

Pastor Charles Legg will be the guest speaker at the first service, slated for Sunday, April 5, at Amboy United Methodist Church.

The speaker for the Monday, April 6, service at Free-land United Methodist Church will be Pastor Joseph Samaroo.

Speaking at the Tuesday, April 7, service at First United Methodist Church will be Pastor Dennis Mehaffie.

Tobacco-Free Meetings Draw Sizeable Crowds

More than 125 people attended the two Garrett County Tobacco-Free town meetings held recently at the Flowery Vale Senior Center in Accident and Southern High School in Oakland.

Dr. Rex D. Archer, Health Officer, presented a short talk on "Public Enemy Number 1 -- Tobacco."

The turn out at these meetings shows that many of us are concerned about the effects of tobacco smoke. When we work together, we can make a difference," Dr. Archer said.

Special certificates of appreciation were presented to community organizations and businesses and fourth and fifth grade poster contest winners. IQ (I Quit) buttons were handed out to all people who have quit smoking.

Smoke-free workplaces receiving certificates were Community Action Committee, Inc. and Garrett Community College.

Restaurants, recognized for having no-smoking areas were Arby's, McDonald's, and Penn Alps Restaurant.

Pharmacies honored for having no tobacco sales were Beachy's Pharmacy and Deep Creek Pharmacy.

Walt's General Store was presented an award for discontinuing tobacco sales.

The northern area fourth and fifth grade poster contest winners were: Teresa Artice, Jason Bougher, Charlene Bittinger, Robert Joseph Bolden, Amanda Durst, Mike Garlitz, Emily Green, Jeremy Green, James Hook, Russell Lawson, Joey Otto, Shenna Kideheaver, Ann Sebold, Michael Stanton, Bobby Tabler, and Amy Thompson.

The southern area fourth and fifth grade poster contest winners were: Stephanie Ballard, Jody Bowser, Amanda Bowyer, Bryan Corby, Derek DeWitt, Gene Estill, Amy Evans, Jason Finch, Nicole Guy, Bridgett Lucas, Tara Lucas, Johnny Peterson, Josh Rodeheaver, Stormy Schaeffer, Daniel Shafer, Grey Smith, Kristen Spurrier, Megan Stefanski, Amanda Stewart, and Kane Wengert.

At both of the town meetings, the Coalition, in addition to the American Cancer Society, American Heart Association, American Lung Association, and Wellness Together, set up displays and provided information to residents on how to quit smoking, how to prevent young people from using tobacco



TOBACCO-FREE COALITION AWARD WINNERS - Several local businesses and agencies were honored recently by the Tobacco-Free Coalition during town meetings held in Accident and Oakland. Pictured above left is Melissa Nazirod, representing Arby's Restaurant, Oakland, and at right is Mary Ann Fink, of McDonald's Restaurant, Oakland, accepting awards for having no-smoking sections at those restaurants. In the center is Betsy Hoppel and daughter Grace Ann, of Deep Creek Pharmacy, McHenry, honored for choosing not to sell tobacco products. Pictured below are Sean Beachy, representing Beachy's Pharmacy, Grantsville, also honored for not selling tobacco products; and Kathy Beals, of Penn Alps Restaurant, for providing a smoke-free dining area. Not present for the photo were Manning Smith, of Garrett Community College, which recently became a smoke-free workplace/campus, and Duane Yoder, of Garrett County Community Action, for providing a smoke-free workplace.



products, and how to reduce the chances of developing cancer and heart disease from exposure to other people's tobacco smoke.

Door prizes were donated by the American Cancer Society, American Heart Association, American Lung Association, Brenda's Body Shop, and State Farm Insurance.

Dr. Archer explained that the mission of the Coalition is to reduce unnecessary death and disability because of tobacco use among citizens of the county through a variety

of actions by individuals, organizations, and those involved in public policy, including health care providers, schools, worksites, organizations, the mass media, and public officials.

It may be possible that other county organizations and businesses may be eligible for certificates of appreciation, according to a Coalition spokesman. For further information about the certificates or about joining the coalition, persons may contact the Health Department at 334-8116.

weekly reservations via application from the park office only.

Campers are reminded that state parks with electronic hookups now include the Patapasco Valley's Hollowfield area, Janes Island, Shad Landing in Pocomoke River and Greenbrier State Parks. At Point Lookout, one camping loop features water, sewer and electric hookup.

Of interest to campers who like to travel with their pets Big Run, Millburn Landing of Pocomoke River, Hollowfield of Patapasco Valley, Point Lookout, Susquehanna, Rocky Gap, Swallow Falls, Tuckahoe, Elk Neck and all state forests. Pets must be on a leash or otherwise under control by their owners.

For more information on Maryland state forests and parks, calls may be directed to DNR's State Forest and Park Service headquarters in Annapolis, 410-974-3771.

GCC Offering Painting Course

A Painting for Seniors course is being offered by the Continuing Education Division of Garrett Community College. This course will be held at the Oakland Center and will focus on oil painting, with classes beginning March 27. Sessions are scheduled to be held each Friday from 9 a.m. to 12:15 p.m. for four sessions.

Maryland Senior citizens, persons 60 years of age or older, may attend this course tuition free, but will be charged a \$10 fee. They must also supply their own materials, which includes a canvas panel about 18"x24", oil paints, brushes and pencil. A fee of \$20 plus materials will be charged for others wishing to enroll. For more information, persons may call Pat at 334-8304 or 387-6666, ext. 169.

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Witness Mission To Be Hosted At St. Paul's

St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Oakland, will be hosting a Lay Witness Mission on April 3, 4, and 5. A variety of activities will be held throughout the weekend at the church and in the homes of various church members, according to a spokesperson.

Lay persons from other churches will come to share their faith.

"The witnesses are everyday people from all walks of life," a spokesperson said. "They are people of all ages, including some youths."

Several activities for all ages are planned for the weekend. The youth will have a full slate of activities, including a sleep-over on Friday night and a swimming party on Saturday, according to the spokesperson.

Two dinners, a luncheon, several large group meetings, and many small group meetings and coffees will take place.

For more information, persons may contact St. Paul's United Methodist Church at 334-2391. All persons are invited to attend. A nursery service will be provided throughout the weekend, the spokesperson said.

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FOOD FACILITIES RECOGNIZED - The Garrett County Health Department recently recognized five area food service facilities with Incentive Awards for Outstanding Effort in Quality Food Service. The food facilities were chosen for consistently exhibiting superior quality food service. They were judged by a health department sanitarian in the areas of food handling techniques, overall cleanliness, and personal hygiene. Those food facilities chosen were Hilltop DeLite, McDonald's of Oakland, Hav-A-Lot, Southern Middle School cafeteria, and Northern High School cafeteria. Two of these facilities are pictured here. The remaining three will appear in next week's issue. Shown above, left to right, are Dr. Rex Archer, Garrett County health officer; Tina Buckel, health department sanitarian; Jeff Haines, manager of McDonald's; and Al Boxley, owner. In the photo at right, Darlene Beener, co-owner of Hilltop DeLite, is shown as she receives the award from Archer.

GC Health Dept. Rewards Several Food Facilities

Five food service facilities in Garrett County recently received Incentive Awards for Outstanding Effort in Quality Food Service from the Garrett County Health Department, according to Dr. Rex Archer, county health officer. The facilities named were Hilltop DeLite, Hav-A-Lot, McDonald's of

Oakland, Southern Middle School cafeteria, and Northern High School cafeteria.

These food service facilities were evaluated for the award during routine environmental inspections conducted by department sanitarians, and were found to consistently exhibit superior quality food service. These are the first in what the health department personnel plans to be a long series of award presentations, according to Archer.

The award is based on the food service facility inspection report, food handling techniques, overall cleanliness, and personal hygiene. The awards are issued with a six-month expiration date, and all licensed food service facilities are eligible to receive the honor.

The purpose of the award is to help motivate restaurant workers to practice good food handling techniques and to provide tangible recognition to the most conscientious proprietors in the county. Archer said there are more operators who try to comply than there are who deliberately defy the regulations. Unfortunately, Archer said, the latter group gets more attention from sanitarians and complaining customers.

"It is a great pleasure to be able to present these awards to these five facilities," Archer said. "Particularly deserving are several of the school cafeterias which have long been the flagships of quality food service in Garrett County. Even with the current economic strife, these facilities have continued the excellent level of food handling. The other three facilities have also maintained their high standards amid stiff competition in stressful times."

Public Notices

REQUEST FOR PROFESSIONAL SERVICES

E-911 Addressing Program
The Garrett County Board of County Commissioners is requesting proposals from qualified firms for Professional Services in relation to providing an E-911 Addressing Program for Garrett County.

Specifications and Project Information is available from Gary Mullich, General Service Department, Old Courthouse Room 105, 313 E. Alder Street, Oakland, MD 21550; (301) 334-1928.

Proposals will be accepted until April 27, 1992. The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any or all proposals and to waive irregularities in the bids.

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Luther Parrack To Address CUBE About Tech Prep

Luther Parrack, director of secondary education for the Garrett County Board of Education, will explain the restructuring of the high school curriculum to implement the new Tech Prep program at the March 31 CUBE meeting at the Garrett Community College.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p.m. and will be held in Room 314 in the Continuing Education building. The Tech Prep program will be tied to the Maryland School Performance Program and will necessitate a revamping of the high school curriculum to include business, natural resources and life sciences, human services, practical arts, physical science and engineering, and arts and humanities. The goal of the Tech Prep program is the combination of secondary and post-secondary education, leading to a degree or certificate in a career field.

Parrack will also discuss the changes in the mathematics curriculum to begin next year, and which will include both the middle school and the high school mathematics programs.

A spokesperson for CUBE stated that because of the fact that all students on the middle school and high school levels will be affected by the changes in the curriculum, the March meeting of CUBE will deal with this issue only. More information may be obtained by calling Betsy Fowler at 334-2909.

GCC To Offer Grammar Literacy

Garrett Community College, Continuing Education Division, will offer a Grammar Literacy for Your Job course. This course is designed for persons who wish to brush up on their basic skills such as grammar, punctuation, word usage and spelling review. This course would also be useful for the unemployed.

The course will be held each Thursday at the Oakland Center of the college from 6 to 8 p.m., beginning April 2, for five weeks. The cost will be \$20 tuition plus a \$3 registration fee.

For more information, persons may call Patricia Baer at 334-8304 or the Continuing Education Division at 337-6666, ext. 169.

Nordeck Named New Loan Review Officer At GNB



George W. Evans, executive vice president of Garrett National Bank, a subsidiary of WM Bancorp, has announced the appointment of David Nordeck as loan review officer.

Upon assuming his new responsibilities, Nordeck attended two seminars sponsored by American Institute of Banking. One was entitled "Strengthening Loan Review Performance," where he was instructed how to better assess the quality of a loan portfolio, assist in reducing loan losses, and attain advanced loan review certification. The second seminar consisted of "Determining the Adequacy of the Loan Loss Reserve" and "Structuring and Managing the Community Bank Loan Review Function."

With the numerous federal regulations that must now be adhered to and to be sure GNB customers are given the best possible service when applying for credit, an expanded Loan Review function has become necessary, according to a bank spokesman.

"David has served in many capacities with GNB, from teller, to branch manager, loan officer, loan administrator, and trust officer, over the past 22 years. These experiences give him a solid background to fulfill the responsibilities of the loan review officer position," stated Evans. "We are very pleased to have a person such as David with his many experiences in banking to head our loan review function at Garrett National Bank."



DAV DONATES TO HOUSE OF HOPE - The DAV Auxiliary, Mtn. Top Unit 29, recently made its annual donation of food and a check to the House of Hope. Shown above, from left to right, are Vida McCroble and Hazel Meyers, DAV members; Sister Joanna, House of Hope; and Wilda Sanders and Clara Gauer, DAV members.

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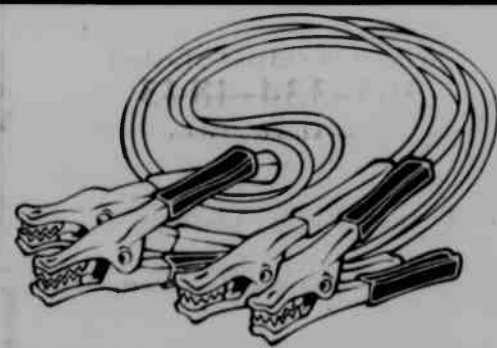
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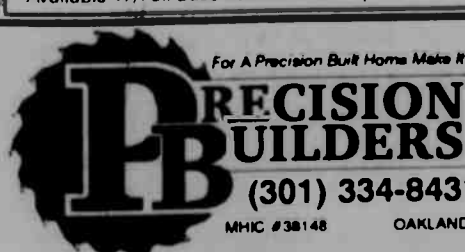
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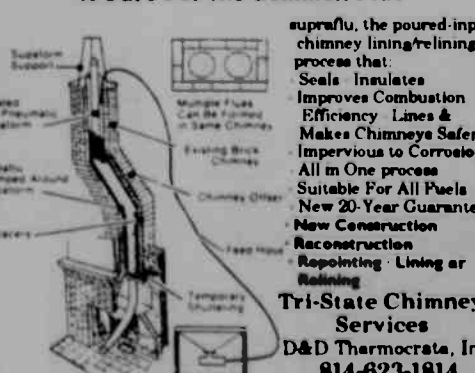
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Hater's Refuse Bill Killed In Committee

The Senate Economic and Environmental Affairs Committee last week rejected a bill introduced by District 1 Senator John J. Hafer that would have allowed voters to decide whether or not large refuse disposal sites could be located in their particular jurisdictions.

Hafer reportedly introduced the bill at the request of Citizens for

Responsible Waste Disposal (CROWD), centered in Allegany County. The bill provided for local citizens to have a say in waste disposal by means of a binding referendum.

Although the bill received a significant amount of support from individuals and organizations, opposition came from large waste disposal businesses and organizations.

Hafer stated that he was pleased with the amount of support the bill received and the attention it was given. He noted that he will work

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on a modified version of the bill in the interim and re-introduce similar legislation next year.

House Passes Higher Speed Limit Bill

The House has approved a bill that would raise the speed limit to 60 mph on rural sections of interstate highway throughout the state. The bill is a modified

version of a proposal sponsored last year by District 1-A Delegate George C. Edwards that sought to raise the speed limit to 65 mph. That bill was approved by the General Assembly but vetoed by Governor William Donald Schaefer.

This year's bill, however, is reportedly receiving more favor from Gov. Schaefer, who last year felt that raising the speed limit would also increase the number of traffic accidents.

House Approves Civil Rights Bill

By a narrow margin, the House of Delegates approved a bill that would provide added protection at the state level for victims of racial, sexual or religious discrimination and harassment at the workplace than is currently provided at the federal level.

The controversial bill, which has reportedly become a battle between male and female legislators about the definition of sexual harassment, is not predicted to fare as well in the Senate.

The bill was favored by women legislators, 26-7, while men opposed it, 47-49.

Under the measure, employers who discriminate would face civil penalties and may have to pay damages to the victim. While the current law allows for victims to take their claims to the Maryland Human Relations Commission, they must then go through the federal court system, which would involve a lengthy waiting period.

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Local Number 1-301-334-3030
District Administrative Aide — Mary Lou Stemple

Delegate Edwards is the ranking Republican member of the Appropriations Committee, and co-chairman of the Joint Committee on Program Open Space. He also serves on the Subcommittee on Health and The Environment, and Capital Budget Subcommittee, and is chairman of the Program Open Space/Agricultural Land Preservation Subcommittee.

To contact District One State Senator John Hafer:
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District Administrative Aide — Mary Beth Pirolozzi

Senator Hafer is a member of the Senate Finance Committee.

Please call local offices for district concerns and Annapolis offices for legislative concerns.

House Approves Lead Paint Bill

The House of Delegates last week overwhelmingly approved a bill that would provide for the study of the effect of lead paint poisoning, particularly, to determine the extent to which lead poisoning occurs in the state and the costs involved in compensating and treating victims.

The bill would allow for a 15-member commission to be set up to study and evaluate the data, and would be funded by a \$5-per-unit fee charged to owners of rental houses and apartments built before 1975.

The measure was approved in a weakened form, however, as the original bill called for a tax on the sale of paint to fund the study. Lobbyists from the paint industry apparently exerted enough pressure on the legislators to amend the bill.

Lead paint poisoning has been called a major environmental hazard to the health of children, and even small amounts of lead in the bloodstream can reportedly cause reduced intelligence, behavioral problems and, in some cases, even death.

Planning Grant

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posals for public improvements.

Included within the program is a Washington County Highway Interchange Study. This study will analyze and make recommendations for land uses, development controls, policies, and zoning classifications that are most appropriate for the interchange areas. Washington County has three interstates and over 20 interchanges within its boundaries.

The National Freeway Corridor Study and Plan is being undertaken in Allegany County. Included will be aerial and topographic mapping of an area on either side of Interstate 68 where it passes through the county. The project is being initiated, in part, and an update to the county's land use plan and development regulations and, more significantly, in anticipation of future development and changes in land use along the Corridor. When complete, the plan will identify lands within the Freeway Corridor best suited for urban development, agriculture and special purposes, as well as those sensitive areas which should remain in their natural state.

A second project within Allegany County is a planning feasibility study for the conversion of rail and river areas into hiking and biking facilities. This particular "Rail and Trail" study will focus on the proposed Maryland segment of the Allegheny Highlands Trail which will run from the Pennsylvania line to Cumberland.

Kreitner notes that a region-wide "I-68 Environmental Design" study will also be funded. This study has several purposes including the identification of those areas best suited for development and preservation. Emphasis will also be placed upon the utilization of I-68 for tourism and economic development. Areas of accessibility, billboard and signage control, destination points, and potential development zones will all be addressed. The study will be coordinated with related efforts in Allegany and Washington counties and is being developed to serve as a prototype management strategy for highway development that seeks to promote the concept of economic development, while protecting the environment.

The project will be administered by the regional staff of the Maryland Office of Planning.

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Rape Victims' Bill Passed

The House of Delegates this week passed a bill that would allow victims of rape to request an AIDS test be administered to the suspect charged with the crime, eliminating the need to wait until a conviction is made.

Opponents of the measure, however, have indicated that a suspect should not be forced to undergo the test before the conviction is made. Proponents believe the bill is essential in the victim's plan for medical care.

The bill now goes to the

Senate.

Longer Trucks Bill Approved

The House of Delegates has approved a bill that would allow longer trucks on Maryland highways. The bill received a 96-37 vote, despite the fact that opponents argued it would make highways unsafe.

Currently, Maryland limits the length of trucks to 48 feet, and is one of only four states not allowing the longer trucks.

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OBITUARIES

MILDRED
ALTSTETTER

Mildred Altstetter, 79, Roxbury, Pa., died March 16, 1992, at Conemaugh (Pa.) Hospital.

Born April 14, 1912, in Oakland, she was the daughter of the late Harry L. and Sara (Long) Stemple. She was also preceded in death by her husband, George M. Altstetter.

Mrs. Altstetter was an elementary teacher in the Johnstown School District. She was a member of the Grove Avenue United Methodist Church and formerly held offices with Women's Society of Christian Service, Church Women United, Talus Rock Girl Scouts, and Cambria City Mission. She was also a 4-H National All-Star.

Survivors include one daughter, Sara Ann Rucosky, Jennerstown, Pa.; one brother, Harry Stemple, Berkeley Springs, W.Va.; and two grandchildren.

Friends were received in the John Henderson Co. Funeral Home.

A funeral service was held March 19 at Grove Avenue United Methodist Church with the Rev. Fred Vanderhoff officiating.

Interment was in the Oakland Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Lung Association, 1740 Broadway, New York, NY 10019-4374.

ARCHIE E. TICHINEL

Archie Edward "Sonny" Tichinel, 50, Oakland, died Friday, March 20, 1992, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital.

Born March 6, 1942, in West Virginia, he was the son of Martin and Florene (Friend) Tichinel, Mt. Zion.

Mr. Tichinel was retired with 21 years of service from the U.S. Air Force. He was a veteran of the Vietnam Conflict. An employee of Bausch and Lomb, Inc., he was a member of Proctor Kildow Post 71, American Legion, Oakland; and a life member of N.C.O.A.

Besides his parents, he is survived by his wife, Sherrie (Kubelsky) Tichinel; two step-daughters, Lorraine

by Pam Ashby

As small town residents sit in their homes each evening reading the newspaper or watching television, they feel secure. They read or hear about violent crimes being committed and seldom think twice about being the victims of such horrendous acts.

The following true story (real names changed to protect the victims and, unfortunately, the perpetrators) describes the victims' version of violent crime — a story that is seldom heard by the general public and, at times, barely heard in courts of law. While everyone has his side to the story, the victim is usually pitied, momentarily, and then the focus turns to the criminal, the judicial system, and finally the police. Be warned that this story is not for the faint of heart. It is gruesome, but it happened.

Ethel Smith, an attractive 60+-year-old gentle woman, sat knitting on her sofa in the living room of her older, immaculate home. Her husband, Fred, had gone to bed an hour earlier at 9 p.m. and she was enjoying some quiet time. Earlier that evening, some teenaged boys had been running around the neighborhood, yelling and causing a general disturbance. Before retiring, Fred forewarned, "There's going to be trouble before the night is over."

He probably never dreamed how true that statement was about to be and he soon fell asleep. As the noise subsided, so did his thoughts of trouble. Ethel had all but forgotten her husband's warning as she sat knitting and watching television. Outside, new spring snow was blanketing the quiet streets of Smalltown and all was right with the world.

The shouting began again at about 10 p.m. just outside Ethel's living room window. Ethel was chilled by the menacing voices and stood up to push a curtain aside and peer out the window. Then, instinctively, she changed her mind and chose a smaller window on her front door to see what all the fuss was about. She instantly recognized two of the three neighborhood boys, Ronnie and Jason. Just then, Ronnie shouted, "I'm going to ___ her." (Obscene sexual reference)

Terrified, Ethel screamed, "Fred! Fred!" Ethel searched her mind to try to make some sense of this anger Ronnie felt for her. She had always wished his home life would be better. Then she recalled an incident when Ronnie stole a church sign posted on a tree across the street from her home. She had witnessed the theft and called after Ronnie, "You bring that back right now." He brought it back and threw it up against the tree. "Could that possibly have made him so angry?" she thought.

At that instant, Ronnie came crashing through a bedroom window adjacent to the living room — head first. As he lunged toward Ethel, Fred stumbled into the room from a dead sleep. Ronnie turned his attention from Ethel to Fred and began striking him in the face. Fred struck back and delivered a resounding blow to the boy's face. Ronnie appeared unaffected by the force of the assault and Fred and Ethel were both positive that the glass-eyed juvenile was high on some sort of drug. "He didn't even blink when I hit him," Fred later stated.

Ronnie then cried out, "I'm going to kill you and your wife in front of you!"

Ethel had the presence of mind to call 911 for help.

Maughan, at home; and Marion Lee, two step-sons. Robert and Chris; three sisters, Vickie Fletcher, Kitzmiller; Dottie Thomas, Florida; and Gerry Brown, Connecticut; and five grandchildren.

Friends were received in the David A. Burdock Funeral Home, Kitzmiller.

A service was conducted Sunday at 1 p.m. at the Walnut Bottom Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Christopher Crawford officiating.

Interment was in the Turner Cemetery, Walnut Bottom.

Graveside military honors were accorded by Proctor Kildow Post 71.

LOYAL G. JAMES

Loyal G. "Jake" James, 78, Davis, W.Va., died Tuesday, March 17, 1992, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Born on May 21, 1913, in St. George, W.Va., he was a son of the late Dorsey D. and

Tom Donovan, a neighbor and good friend of the Smiths, was concerned about his elderly parents who live a few doors down from the Smiths. They, too, had heard the shouting and raucous laughter of the juveniles. With the few inches of fresh snow on the ground, Tom was able to track the boys from behind his parents' house to an alley. While in the alley, he noticed that a window had been shattered in the small home of an elderly widow. He continued to follow the tracks. They led to the home of the juvenile who would later storm the Smith home. Tom went to the door and noticed that Ronnie's house had been trashed as if a "wild person had smashed everything in sight." When Ronnie saw Tom he struck him in the face with some type of club.

Some time later, Tom heard Ethel's screams. He entered the Smith home to find Fred and the juvenile engaged in a scuffle. Responding to Ethel's call, two male rescue squad volunteers arrived. Ronnie, now totally out of control, grabbed the bottom of Ethel's skirt. One of the squad member had to pry the boy's white-knuckled fingers from Ethel's skirt — one finger at a time. It took all four men to subdue the boy. At one point, he cried out, "Dad! Dad!" Ronnie's father, himself a troubled man, had been killed in an automobile accident some years ago.

Something red dribbled from the boy's mouth onto the Smith's furniture. It was not blood. He announced that he had LSD in his pocket. The boy continued with his profanity. "I'll ___ you men in the ___. Have you ever had it that way?"

All the while, Ethel thought how tragic it was that this boy had already lost the innocence of youth.

Some 40 minutes after the call for help, the police arrived. They began taking statements from the Smiths. The boy was taken to the hospital by a police officer and because of state budget cuts, the policemen who initially arrived at the scene had to leave because their shift was over and they were allowed no overtime. The next shift arrived and the Smiths had to tell their horrible story once more.

The sister of the mother of the juvenile admitted that she had cleaned up the mess at Ronnie's home. The mother had gone out for the evening. The other two juveniles who had stood outside yelling with Ronnie were long gone. The Smiths weren't sure if they had been captured or if there would be any charges filed against them. Ronnie was transferred to a juvenile treatment center downstate, pending a juvenile hearing. Mrs. Smith fears that he will be released and seek revenge.

Fred and Ethel want to see justice done. They feel for the plight of Ronnie and his unstable life, but they also fear for their own safety and for the safety of their law-abiding neighbors — many of whom are elderly and cannot fend for themselves. Not only were the Smiths victims of crime, they also feel they were victims of the system. And they know in their hearts it's not over. Their lives will never quite be the same. They fear that the same thing — or worse — will happen if Ronnie is released prematurely. An even sadder fact is that Ronnie is the little brother's idol. Neither boy has a positive role model at home and isn't that the cause of so much trouble in our society today? Fred and Ethel no longer think, "Not in my town."

ANNA L. (LIPSCOMB) JAMES

He was also preceded in death by his wife, Ruth Agnes (Kennard) James; and three sons, Jerry James, Jack James, and Michael James.

Mr. James was a coal miner, having worked for Davis Coal and Coke Company. He was a member of District 31, Local 4113, UMW, Kempton. Survivors include two daughters, Rose Ann Davis, Detroit, Mich.; Virginia Pfeil, Jacksonville, N.C.; one son, W. Dale James, Davis; three sisters, Irene DeWitt, Mtn. Lake Park; Lucille Holt-schneider and Ruby Chillum, both of Baltimore; one brother, Alvin James, Clifton, Texas; 12 grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was conducted Saturday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Donald Matthews officiating.

Interment was in the Davis Cemetery.

ESTHER TICE

Esther Tice, 65, Grantsville, died Monday, March 23, 1992, in Providence Hospital, Columbia, South Carolina.

Born October 20, 1926, in Grantsville, she was the daughter of Milton E. Yoder, Grantsville, and the late Oma M. (Yoder) Yoder.

Mrs. Tice was a homemaker. She was a member of Mountain View Christian Fellowship, Salisbury, Pa.

Surviving besides her father are her husband, Lewis J. Tice; three sons, David W. Tice, Grottoes, Va.; Stanley J. Tice, and Marvin P. Tice, both of Grantsville; one daughter, Phyllis N. Tice, Grantsville; two brothers, Ivan Yoder and Orden Yoder, both of Dover, Del.; one sister, Anna Dora Yoder, Grantsville; and two grandchildren.

Friends were received Wednesday at the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville, and a service is being held today at 1 p.m. at the Moun-

tain View Christian Fellowship, Salisbury. Rev. Henry Tice and the Rev. Floyd Bender will conduct the service.

Interment will be in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be directed to the Gideon Bible Society.

DR. COLLEEN S.
OWENDOFF

Dr. Colleen S. Owendoff, 40, Annapolis, died Sunday, March 22, 1992, at the Bethesda Naval Hospital.

Born August 12, 1951, in Great Lakes, Illinois, she was the daughter of Wesley and Virginia (Alsip) Smiley, Columbus, Georgia.

She graduated Magna Cum Laude from Mercer University, Atlanta, Ga., in 1972, and in the same year received her masters in education. She earned a PhD in psychology from the University of Georgia, Athens, in 1980.

She was a former staff psychologist at the U.S. Naval Hospital, Okinawa, and a clinical psychology intern at the U.S. Naval Hospital, Bethesda. She had been serving as assistant professor of psychology at the U.S. Naval Academy, Annapolis, since 1989. She also served as an active duty licensed clinical psychologist from 1984 to 1989 with the Navy Medical Services Officers Corps. Since 1989, she was a naval reserve lieutenant commander.

Dr. Owendoff was a member of the Chapel Council, Protestant Chapel of the

Naval Academy, Officers' Christian Fellowship-Midshipmen Ministry Team, a lay reader, and communion server. She was also a member of the Christian Association for Psychological Services, the American Psychological Association, the Maryland Psychological Association, the Association for Military Surgeons of the United States and the Naval Academy Research Committee.

She also served as an instructor in the Asian Division of the University of Maryland at College Park. She was a speaker, seminar facilitator, and mentor for the Anne Arundel Gifted and Talented Program.

Dr. Owendoff was a published author in several research journals. She was selected as the outstanding instructor at the United States Naval Academy in 1990 and was selected as mentor for the University of Maryland Peer Visit Program.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by her husband, LCDR Robert S.

Owendoff, USN, Ret. grandson of the late Mr. and Mrs. Scott Paugh, Deer Park; one sister, Katherine Allman, and one brother, Michael Smiley, both of Atlanta, Ga.

A funeral service will be held Friday at the Naval Academy Chapel at noon conducted by Chaplain George Linzey, Commander, Chaplain Corps, USN.

An interment service will be held at the Garrett County Memorial Gardens Chapel on Saturday at 1 p.m., with Chaplain Linzey officiating. Military honors will be accorded by members of the various veterans organizations in southern Garrett County.

Memorials may be directed to the Memorial Fund, c/o LCDR Freda Churchill, United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Md., 21402.

The Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland, is in charge of local arrangements.

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We never realize how valuable the support of friends and family can be until death occurs close to us. Everyone has been so helpful during the illness and death of our husband and father, Donald J. Newman.

We thank the communities we have served for so many years, for they have come to our support so tremendously during our time of sadness. Thanks to Dr. James Beitzel and Dr. James Wilkinson and the staffs of Meyersdale Community Hospital and Sacred Heart Hospital for their kindness and support.

Special thanks is extended to Gary and Wendy Upchurch of George-Upchurch Funeral Home and staff for their friendship and professionalism, Rev. David Fetter, Rev. Oren Bender, Rev. Donald Matthews for their comforting words. We also thank Gloria Martin for her music and those who served as pallbearers. To the AF & AM Members of Mt. Lodge #99, Mt. Chapter #15 O.E.S. and all other Masons and Eastern Star Members, who assisted in the beautiful memorial services and members of Northern Garrett County Rescue Squad and Ali Ghan Shrine Band for the large delegations at the viewings, Christ Lutheran Church Women for the delicious meal prepared after the service and to our many, many friends for the flowers, memorial contributions, food, cards, prayers and special kindness given to us.

Also all the local funeral directors who offered or assisted in many ways, those who babysat and answered phones for us, our staff members for their extra assistance, especially Harold Kahl and Deb and Rudi Kolb. To Mary Alice Broadwater, Erel Jenkins for assisting at the house. Thank You.

We're grateful for this support and pledge a continued service to the people we serve with a special deeper understanding as to what our families experienced at their time of loss.

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Bosley, Rams Anticipate Good Year With Return Of Six Starters

The Southern High School baseball team, led by the winningest baseball coach in the area, will open its 1991 campaign this afternoon at Petersburg, where Coach Jim Bosley will have a strong nucleus of players back from last season's 14-5 squad that finished fourth in the area.

Bosley, who has entered his 13th year at the helm of the Rams, has amassed a 12-year mark of 153 wins against 67 losses, with numerous post-season appearances during that time. Six starters, led by two-time

SOUTHERN BASEBALL ROSTER

PLAYER	YEAR	POSITION
Brett Rice	12	P
David Kurtz	12	2B
Shane Skipper	12	C
Raymie Sherwood	12	3B
Craig Calhoun	12	SS
Nathan Dixon	12	2B
Jason Rinker	12	OF
Raymie Sherwood	12	OF
Joby Tasker	12	1B
Jeremy Bosley	11	OF
Gary Upole	11	2B
Josh Woods	10	OF

MVP Brett Rice, will anchor this year's team, however, Bosley says that baseball will be strong throughout the area this year because the majority of the teams are returning a lot of top pitch-



RAMS TO OPEN TODAY - The Southern Rams are slated to open their 18-game regular season this afternoon at Petersburg, although foul weather this morning is likely to postpone that contest. Because there are six starters back from last season's 14-5 team, Coach Jim Bosley anticipates another strong season; however, he notes that many of the area's teams have a lot of returning lettermen. Bosley, who is now in his 13th year at the

helm of the Rams, is the area's winningest coach. Rams pictured above include: front, Jamie Bosley, manager, kneeling left to right, Shane Skipper, Josh Woods, Jason Rinker, Raymie Sherwood, Craig Calhoun, and Garth Giotfelty; and standing, same order, Gary Upole, Jeremy Bosley, Nathan Dixon, Brett Rice, Joby Tasker, and David Kurtz. Not present for the photo was Britten Martin.

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"I'm not one to set goals, because sometimes they aren't met and you might feel that the season wasn't a success when it very well could have been," Bosley said. "Our coaching staff and players do believe that an area championship and state playoff appearance are somewhat realistic. But for that to occur we feel we have to get off to a good start, which could be a problem since the weather has allowed us outside only one time as an

entire team."

Last year the Rams' season ended with a regional playoff loss to Middletown.

Brett Rice, a senior, has already re-written Southern's record books in basketball and his baseball statistics are equally as impressive. He hit a sizzling .533 average last year, which Bosley says is the highest single season average ever during his time as Southern coach. Rice, one of three players ever to start as a freshman at Southern (Scott Stem and Ron Bosley are the others), also has the most wins as a pitcher (17) in three years.

SOUTHERN BASEBALL SCHEDULE

DATE	OPPONENT	LOCATION
Mar. 26	Petersburg	A
31	Tucker Co	A
2	Keyser	A
9	Petersburg	A
11	Preston Co	A
13	Elkins	A
18	B. Springs	A
22	Westmar	H
23	Keyser	H
29	Allegany	H
May 1	Bishop Walsh	H
2	Trinity	A
4	Northern	H
7	Elkins	H
11	Northern	A

Two-year starters back this year are seniors Britten Martin, at short stop, and Garth Giotfelty, left field. Martin anchors the infield on defense and was a .365 hitter last year, while Giotfelty batted .328.

Other starters returning are Shane Skipper, David Kurtz, and Jeremy Bosley. Skipper, a senior, will be moved from the outfield to third base and will also spend time on the mound. He recorded a 4-0 mark as a pitcher last year and batted .348.

Kurtz, who returns as the starting catcher, won last year's Golden Glove award as the best defensive player on the team. He is also a senior.

Bosley, a junior, was the starter at second base last year, but Coach Bosley has decided to move him to centerfield because of his excellent speed. "He will also see pitching time," Bosley noted. Rounding out the roster and competing for starting positions are Joby Tasker, senior first baseman, senior Craig Calhoun and junior Gary Upole battling for the second base spot, seniors Jason Rinker, Nathan Dixon,

and Raymie Sherwood, plus sophomore Josh Woods in the outfield.

Upole was last year's MVP on the Southern jayvee team.

"Rinker and Dixon can both hit, but right now they lack the other tools to make them every-day outfielders," Bosley said. "Sherwood and Woods are good defensive outfielders, but haven't proved to be good consistent hitters yet."

Bosley stated that one of the major reasons the Southern program has been so successful over the years is because he "has been blessed" with excellent assistant coaches. Assistant Ed Wildesen, coach of the Garrett County Legion team, is back for his ninth year. Tom Bosley heads the junior varsity program, along with Dave McLaughlin and Danny Holler. "Anytime you can keep the same coaches together it's very easy for players to know what's expected year in and year out," Bosley said. "I don't know where our program would be without these guys, especially our jayvee coaches. They do a tremendous job preparing our younger players for the future of Ram baseball."

As is so often the case, the Rams have been battling foul weather conditions and are finding practices to be extremely difficult. "We've only been able to get on our field one time with our entire squad," Bosley said. "I've said many times that we probably have one of the two best teams in the state (with Northern being the other one) on the parking lot and in the gymnasium."

The Rams are slated to play an 18-game regular season, with their first home game set for April 9 against Petersburg.

Bowling League Results Noted

SUNDAY NIGHT MIXED LEAGUE

Standings: 1. Gould Energy, 2. S.S. & Friends, 3. P.J.'s. High Team Series: S.S. & Friends, 2572. P.J.'s, 2510. Gould Energy, 2468. High Team Game: S.S. & Friends, 869. P.J.'s, 865 & 853. Gould Energy, 833.

High Individual Series: Gary Powell, 569. Dan Daniels, 549. Larry Reckart, 539. High Individual Game: Gary Powell, 225. Elwood Witt, 206. Larry Reckart, 197.

High Individual Series: Women: Nancy Harsh, 552. Lee Johnson, 532. Pam Giotfelty, 511. High Individual Game: Women: Nancy Harsh, 223. Lee Johnson, 200. Bertha Sanders, 192.

MONDAY SKIRTS LEAGUE

Standings: 1. Airheads, 2. Lunch Bunch, 3. Sure Shots. High Team Series: Unpredictables, 2022. Airheads, 1955. Softies, 1670. High Team Game: Unpredictables, 726. Airheads, 717. Unpredictables, 695.

High Individual Series: Anna Bishop, 555. Kathy Mattingly, 555. Juanita Browning, 518. High Individual Game: Juanita Browning, 221. Anna Bishop, 217. Barbara Perando, 216.

MONDAY NITE LADIES' SINGLES LEAGUE

Standings: 1. Judy Reams, 2. Mary Liler, 3. Martha Reams, 4. Peggy Kitzmiller. High Individual Series: Judy Reams, 560. Debbie Salier, 541. Mary Liler, 536.

High Individual Game: Debbie Salier, 213. Mary Liler, 205. Martha Hayhurst, 202.

TUESDAY EARLYBIRDS LEAGUE

Standings: 1. Katbirds, 2. Twentybirds, 3. Toucans. High Team Series: Twentybirds, 1910. Katbirds, 1839. Towhees, 1713. High Team Game: Twentybirds, 652 & 639. Katbirds, 635 & 607. Towhees, 602.

High Individual Series: Andrea

Martin, 509. Martha Reams, 499. Eva Clary, 476. High Individual Game: Andrea Martin, 185. Luz Sausman, 183. Martha McCartney, 181.

TUESDAY DIE-HARDS LEAGUE

Standings: 1. Lamplighters, 2. Racers, 3. Pinheads. High Team Series: Arby's, 2067. Racers, 2057. Lamplighters, 2015. High Team Game: Racers, 754. Arby's, 727. Pinheads, 723.

High Individual Series: Albert Shaffer, 649. John Sharpless, 635. Dale Giotfelty, 568. High Individual Game: Albert Shaffer, 257. Curt Bucklew, 227. John Sharpless, 216 & 215.

High Individual Series: Women: Pat Filanger, 538. Marolyn Johnson, 530. Jean Shaffer, 510. High Individual Game: Women: Pat Filanger, 204. Marolyn Johnson, 192. Martha McCartney, 190.

WEDNESDAY CIVIC LEAGUE

Standings: 1. Little Sandy's, 2. Beachy Lumber Co., 3. B.A.T.T.S. High Team Series: Beachy Lumber Co., 2801. Left Overs, 2747. Mid Towns Cinema, 2745. High Team Game: Mid Towns Cinema, 1010. Beachy Lumber Co., 992. G.C.C. 952.

High Individual Series: Rick DiSimone, 633. Dave Simmons, 609. Willis Giotfelty, 601. High Individual Game: Gary Powell, 254. Clarence Stem, 231. Lester Brant, 227.

SENIOR CITIZENS THURSDAY ROLLERS LEAGUE

Standings: 1. Cowboys, 2. Broncos, 3. Jets, 4. Redskins, 5. Seahawks, 1586. Redskins, 1585. High Team Game: Jets, 575; Seahawks, 568. Cowboys, 561.

High Individual Series: Bill Barnard, 510. Ivan Harvey, 492. Jessa Mole, 474. High Individual Game: Jessa Mole, 181. Jack Franz, 178; Ivan Harvey, 177 & 170.

High Individual Series: Women: Berdena Wagner, 508. Betty Mullonnes, 450. Mabel Hauser, 434. High Individual Game: Women: Berdena Wagner, 182. Betty Mullonnes, 177. Mabel Hauser, 156 & 155.

THURSDAY NIGHT MIXED LEAGUE

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Veteran Husky Team Has High Hopes To Return To The Playoffs

With 14 of 18 players back from last season's 11-5 team that made the playoffs for the first time in 10 years, Coach Phil Carr and his Northern High Huskies are excited to get their 1992 campaign underway.

The Huskies were slated to open their regular season last night at Westmar, but the game had to be postponed because of a wet field. They are scheduled to host Rockwood tomorrow evening; however with a snow storm in the forecast, it seems unlikely they will get their season rolling this week.

Of the 14 players back, six of them are returning starters, four of whom batted over .300 last year. Senior center fielder Jarrett McKenzie finished with a .365 average last year and led the team in home runs with five and 22 RBI. Seniors Jon Houser (first base), Chad Anderson (catcher), and Doug Brenneman (short stop) bring back batting averages of .385, .321, and .311, respectively.

Other seniors back are Rich Schofield in right field, Eric Umbel in left field, Mark Beals at second base,

NORTHERN VARSITY BASEBALL ROSTER		
PLAYER	YEAR	POSITION
Mark Beals	12	2B
Jarrett McKenzie	12	C
Harrison Foy	12	INF
Jon Houser	12	1B
Eric Umbel	12	LF
Doug Brenneman	12	SS
Chad Anderson	12	C
Rich Schofield	12	RF
Todd Burdock	12	CF
Paul Edwards	11	INF
Robert Beachy	11	INF
Brian McKenzie	11	INF
Rob Speicher	10	OF
Derek Mason	10	P
Brian Blocher	10	P
Alan Sebold	10	P
Ryan Folk	10	P
Bob Fritz	10	P

and outfielders Todd Burdock and Harrison Foy.

Junior Paul Edwards will return to his starting position at third base. Others who will see action in the outfield are Rob Speicher, Alan Sebold, Rob Beachy, and Brian McKenzie, while Derek Mason, Ryan Folk, and Bob Fritz will see playing time in the infield.

Top returning pitchers are Mason, who finished 3-0-1 last year, and seniors Umbel (2-0) and Houser (2-1).

The biggest shoes to fill this year are those left vacant by Chad Sines, who led last year's team in hitting and is now playing for the Garrett Community College



HUSKIES ANTICIPATE GOOD YEAR - With 14 of 18 players back from last year's 11-5 playoff team, Coach Phil Carr and the Northern Huskies are hoping for a good year on the baseball diamond. Team members pictured left to right, kneeling, are: Todd Burdock, Ryan Folk, Alan Sebold, Derek Mason, and Bob Fritz. Standing in the second row, same order, are: Chad Anderson, Doug Brenneman, Brian McKenzie, Mark Beals, Robert Beachy, Rob Speicher, and Paul Edwards. In the back row, same order, are: Coach Carr, Harrison Foy, Brian Blocher, Jon Houser, Rich Schofield, Jarrett McKenzie, and Eric Umbel.

Lakers, and Jerry Uphold, who was the leading pitcher.

"I feel we will have a decent hitting team and a solid defense, but the key will be for our pitching staff to keep us close," Carr said. "We have a deep staff, which could benefit us later in the season." Others expected to see time on the mound will be Brian Blocher, Bob Fritz, Rob Speicher, and Alan Sebold.

Commenting on the recent miserable weather conditions, the third-year coach

said, "It's always scary entering a season when you have only been outside five days. You don't really know what might happen. But the kids have been working hard and seem to be getting the job done."

Carr said he believes the Huskies' schedule is improved, as they have picked up Clear Spring, last season's regional champion, for a doubleheader. "Plus, nearly every other team on our schedule is improved this

year, so the season presents a real challenge for us," he said.

Assisting Carr again this year are Jon Houser, Dan Sines, and Jamie Workman.

NORTHERN J.V. BASEBALL SCHEDULE		
Apr 9	Beal	A
13	Turkeyfoot	A
17	Tournament	H
	Northern	
	Southern	
	Westmar	
21	Beal	H
23	Alco	A
May 2	Westmar	*A
8	Southern	*A
*Doubleheader		

Lakers Remain Winless Following Games With Chowan And Allegany

The Garrett Community College Lakers still haven't won a baseball game this year, but at least there was one game they didn't lose on Saturday afternoon.

The Lakers played a doubleheader with Chowan CC of North Carolina Saturday, losing the opener 1-0 in extra innings before building a 7-2 advantage in the nightcap; however, darkness forced an early ending to the second game two outs before it could be ruled a complete game.

Garrett returned to action yesterday in Cumberland, only to lose for the third time this season to nationally ranked Allegany Community College, 6-1. The results left the Lakers with an 0-9 record and they will go after their first win this Saturday at home in a doubleheader with Catonsville CC.

One of the most frustrated members of the Laker squad must be Rob Hottinger, whose mark on the mound fell to 0-4 in the first game against Chowan. Hottinger has pitched 26 and one-third strong innings, but his offense has scored only six runs during that time. He gave up only four hits in the Chowan game, as did Childress, but the Chowan offense was finally able to score in the bottom of the 10th inning.

The lead-off batter walked, moved to second on a sacrifice, and then scored on a two-out single to give

the home team the win. Bo Bishop and Mike Leshok each doubled for the Lakers.

The Lakers built a 7-2 advantage in the second game behind three hits by Leshok and two by Tony Angelo. Jake Sawyers gave up just two hits in four innings before the game was called in the fifth because of darkness.

Laker Coach Lawrence Nesselrodt tried to speed up the game by having one of his baserunners run into an

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Jake Sawyers, Ryan Harman (5), Paul Bowman (8) and Chris Lohie, Doug Bertolini (7); Jeff Droll, Jeff Farness (6), Ted Campbell (9) and Scott DeHaven
W-Droll (3-0), L-Sawyers (0-2); HR-DeHaven (3).

The Trojans took a 2-0 lead in the first inning on a two-run homer by Scott DeHaven, his third home run of the season.

The Lakers had men in scoring position in both the first and second innings, but Droll worked his way out of both jams. ACC upped its lead to 5-0 with three unearned runs in the third inning. With runners on second and third, DeHaven grounded to third base, Rob Whittington fielded the ball cleanly for the Lakers, but overthrew catcher Chris Lollis at the plate, allowing Brian Foy and Scott Etzell to score.

Todd Black, running for DeHaven, then scored from second on a double by Shannon McKenzie.

Allegany concluded its scoring with a single run in the fourth when Etzell repped a double to score

Foy. The Lakers attempted to rally in the seventh inning as John Cullen singled, moved to second on a single by Freeman, and scored on a single by Bishop. But Freeman and Bishop were left stranded and there would be no more scoring.

Sawyers, who pitched four innings, took the loss and fell to 0-2. He gave up four hits and three earned runs. Ryan Harman and Paul Bowman held the Trojans scoreless in the final four innings.

The win upped the Trojans mark to 8-1.

After the home doubleheader on Saturday against Catonsville, the Lakers will host Hagerstown Junior College in a twinbill on Sunday and then travel to Charles CC on Wednesday for a pair of games.

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Allen Bittinger Breaks Brother's Record At State Wrestling Meet

by Craig Speicher

Northern High's Allen Bittinger broke one of his older brother's records and tied another by placing third in the Maryland State Wrestling Tournament at Western Maryland College this year, while teammates Scott Beitzel, Jason Fazenbaker and Southern Ram Jason Burgess made the final six in their respective weight classes, and Northern placed 11th out of 61 schools.

Two weeks ago at the Westminster tournament, Bittinger (135 pounds) became the first wrestler in county history to earn three top-four place finishes at the state level, surpassing the record set by his brother, Blair "Pete" Bittinger, who in 1989 became a runner-up and in 1990 as a senior won the state championship. Allen took third place at 119 pounds in 1990 and fourth at 130 last year, to become the only other

county grappler with more than one state finish.

With his four victories in five contests at states this year, Allen, a junior, pushed his three-year number of wins to 82, tying the number set by his brother from 1986 through 1990. Allen can break this record as well with just one more victory as a senior.

This year, he entered states with a record of 25-2 and opened with a 16-5 preliminary round win over Tom Strong (17-6-1) of Chesapeake. In his next match, Bittinger lost for only the second time in Maryland this season.

In his defense, he might have been caught off-guard entering his battle with Brad Calchuff. The tourney program correctly identified Calchuff as the Region IV champion. However, the program erroneously listed his season record as 8-11. But Calchuff was a far more formidable opponent than the program indicated, actually 25-3-1, and he overpowered Bittinger with third period pin.

For his next test, Bittinger faced another number one seed, Region IV champion Chris Mercurio (26-3-1) of Hammond. Bittinger was never in trouble as he claimed a 9-4 decision.

In the consolation semifinals, Bittinger took on



THIRD TIME UP THE STAND - Northern Husky Allen Bittinger made his third trip up the victory stand at the Maryland State Wrestling Tournament this year, after he finished third at 135 pounds. By doing so, he broke the old county record held by his brother Blair "Pete" Bittinger, who had won two state finishes. Allen finished fourth at states last year and third the year before. With his last victory at states, Allen also tied his brother's record of all time wins, 82, and can break it also next year with one win. (Photo by Craig Speicher.)

Central's Lamont Hagans (22-3), like Bittinger, a region runner-up and number two seed. Bittinger controlled his throughout, winning 5-0. For the consolation final, Bittinger faced North Hagerstown's Alex Gardner (23-3), who was doing surprisingly well for a number three seed. Gardner had finished third, right behind Bittinger, at regionals the week before, although the two had not wrestled then.

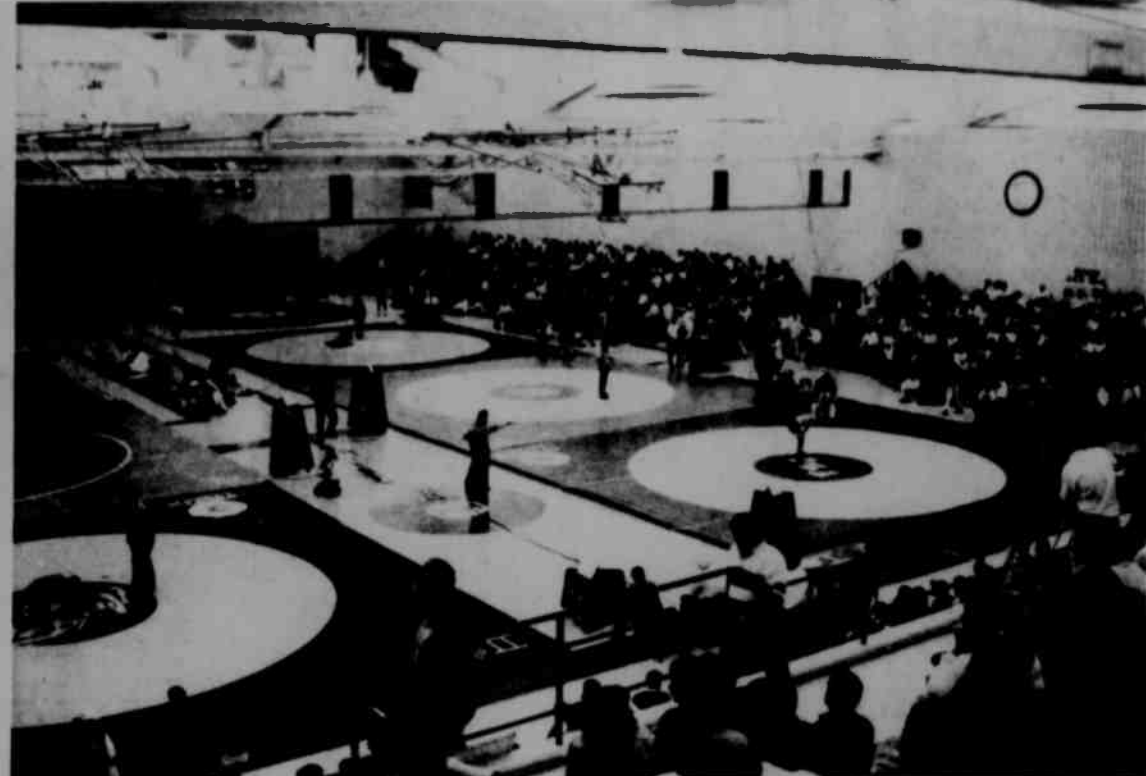
The match was a close one, with the score tied at 4-4 after regulation time. But Bittinger prevailed in overtime, throwing Gardner into a near fall on the boundary

from the takedown. The victory was special for Bittinger, who hugged Coach Lynn Brenneman afterwards.

Bittinger had more reason to celebrate than most people realize, because the wrestling playoff process is drastically different from that of football, basketball, or volleyball. In those sports any given team qualifying for post-regular season playoffs competes only against schools of the same classification, such as 1A or 4A. For example, the 1991 Northern varsity football team competed first with the 26 other class 1A teams for a state playoff berth, and then again in the playoffs. Ultimately, of course, the team would have had to surpass 26 others to win the championship. At no point was a 2A team competing with Northern for the Maryland 1A crown. Larger schools competed respectively for the 2A, 3A or 4A title, as there were actually four distinct tournaments going on simultaneously. The playoff systems for volleyball, basketball, and baseball are similar.

Maryland wrestling, by contrast, offers only two tournaments, one for 3A and 4A schools, and another for 1A and 2A teams, meaning that the competition is considerably tougher, all the more so for 1A wrestlers (like Northern's) fighting 2A grapplers, and for 3A competitors facing 4A opposition. (This would be similar to the Huskies playing schools the size of Fort Hill or Allegany for the state football title.) Northern and Southern, of course, both compete in the 1A/2A tourney that features 61 schools.

To put the wrestling playoffs into proper perspective, remember that Northern could win the state football title by besting 26 class 1A teams. A wrestler, by contrast, has to beat out 45 other Maryland grapplers in his weight class (only the top



14,000 FANS were expected at this year's tournament, which opened with 416 grapplers competing on eight mats. The vast field of competition is so formidable that it is numerically twice as difficult for a wrestler to take "just" a fourth place finish, as for a high school to win a state football or basketball title. (Photo by Craig Speicher.)

four out of each region advance to states, leaving behind an average of 11 grapplers in each of four regions) merely to enter the state tournament, where 15 of the nastiest contenders in the land stand between him and the gold. Winning "just" fourth place requires that you surpass, in effect, 57 others. So if it's a tough winning a football title, it is literally twice as hard for a wrestler merely to finish fourth!

That is why a state wrestling championship is so breathtaking for fans and participants in this sport. That is why it is so difficult to repeat a place finish at states. And that is why Allen Bittinger's accomplishments in the last three years have become nearly awesome. He has now surpassed, essentially, 176 total challengers, and he is only a junior. Further he achieved this status in northern Garrett County, where there are no year-round practice facilities, no wrestling clubs for varsity wrestlers, and no off-season tournaments within easy commuting distance.

Bittinger was not the only one looking for a repeat place finish this year at states. Southern Ram sophomore Jason Burgess (119 pounds, 25-2), who had placed fourth last year, got off to an excel-

lent start that confirmed him as a state class athlete. In preliminaries, Burgess recorded a fall against Paul Grasham (13-4) of Hereford, then toppled Surattsville's Mike Casison (20-2) in a 16-12 thriller. But in the semifinals, Burgess met nearly-perfect Region II champion Corey Setlin (30-1) of Owings Mills (which won the team crown with 9 1/2 points) and was pinned. Converted to the consolation bracket, Burgess then took on Region III champion Jeff Daigle (29-2) of Chopticon, who prevailed, 8-0. The second loss eliminated Burgess, but not until he had

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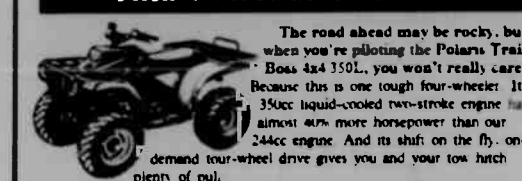
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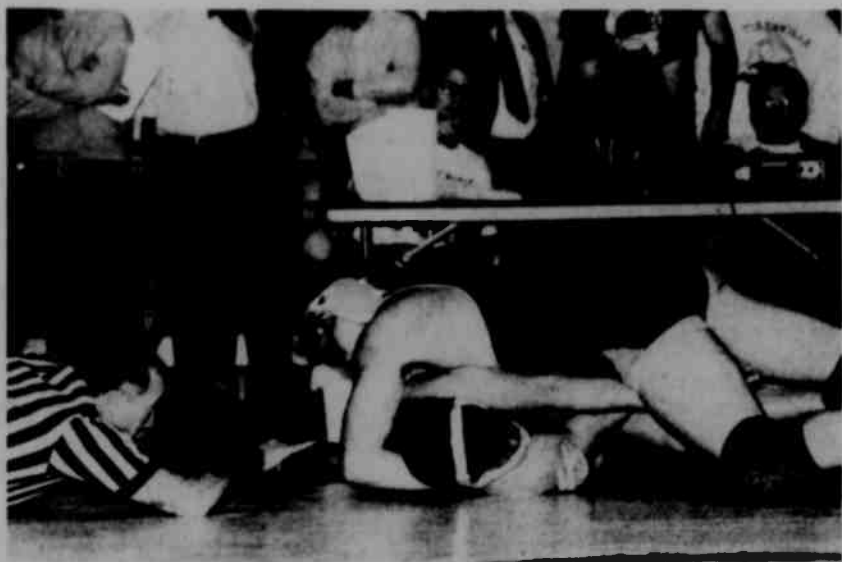
Wrestling Meet

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advanced to the final six.

(The state tournament, which once presented awards to the top five wrestlers, currently rewards the top four, but a competitor can finish in the state's top eight by winning his first match, and can finish among the final six by winning one of his next two matches thereafter.)

Although Southern won no place finishes, the two wins by Burgess allowed the school to finish with six points, ahead of 27 other A/AA teams.

Like Burgess, Husky senior heavyweight Scott Beitzel (25-2) had placed fourth last year and was hoping for a repeat finish. Having won his second consecutive region championship the week before, he appeared to be in top form as he opened with two of his trademark first-period pins, decking Overlea's Mike Khoedler (11-10) at 1:49 and Rockville's Andy Stroud (17-9) in 1:53. But in the semifinals, Beitzel succumbed to a plainly superior



MOST SUCCESSFUL HEAVYWEIGHT - Northern Husky senior Scott Beitzel (season record: 26-2), who placed fourth last year at the Maryland State Tournament, was among the final six contenders this year, claiming two, first period pins en route. His state performance was the two best ever for a county heavyweight. Shown above, Beitzel awaits the signal for his pin against Rockville's Andy Stroud (17-9) in quarterfinals.

rior Region III runner-up, Robert Burley (23-3), losing 11-3. Relegated to the consolation bracket, Beitzel confronted Wayde Ezell (17-5) of Pikeville, a much heavier opponent. The two struggled fruitlessly for a takedown in the first period, with Beitzel unable to secure a firm enough grip for a takedown attempt. With both wrestlers up, one minute left in the final period and no score, Beitzel attempted a throw, but lost his hold on the heavily perspiring Ezell and stumbled flat onto the mat. Both grapplers seemed momentarily

stunned, but Ezell finally realized what had happened and pounced on Beitzel for the effortless takedown and two free points.

Beitzel worked his way back up to his hands and knees and at literally the last second broke free of Ezell and went behind him for what would have been an overtime-forcing reversal. But the referee ruled that Beitzel had not won control before time expired, giving him instead a single-point escape that merely made the narrow loss all the more heartbreaking.

He concludes his state career on a winning note at 5-4 (including last year's three wins and two defeats), with a fourth place finish and, like Burgess, a final six finish, the two best showings for a heavyweight in county history.

Northern got a surprise from its 189-pound entry, Jason Fazenbaker (25-6). A junior in his first varsity season, Fazenbaker entered states as a number four seed facing a region champion in the first round.

Statistically, in both of this year's tournaments (1A/2A and 3A/4A are held simultaneously side-by-side), there were a total of 108 preliminary round match-ups between region champions (number one seeds) and fourth place region finishers (number four seeds). Out of those 108 contests, the top seeds won 100 times, an indication of how difficult it is for a number four to upset a number one. Upsets occurring by pin were rarer yet, and happened only twice among the same 108 bouts. Pinfall upsets in the first period occurred at a rate of incidence less than one percent.

Fazenbaker did not get off to his best start ever in the first round. At only 1:15 into the fight, he was struggling to keep his shoulder blades out of the danger zone. But he suddenly gave up on rocking left and right, and went into a bridge and flip-flop reversal that - several seconds later - taught Pat Brennan (22-9-1) of Hammond that even a region champion, if only once in a square moon, can be pinned in the first

period of the first round by a first-year contender. If this surprised Brennan, it astounded others: Fazenbaker had registered what would be the only first period pinfall upset in both 1A/2A and 3A/4A tournaments.

In the quarterfinals, Fazenbaker hit with another pin, knocking out Joppatown's Matt Miller (18-7) in the second period. In both of these victories, Fazenbaker basically overpowered the opposition with brute strength, much as he has done all season. Some wrestlers go their entire career relying on overwhelming shows of strength that specialize in one or two pinning techniques. Unfortunately, such wrestlers never learn the other aspects of the sport - takedowns, reversals, rides and escapes - and the tournament day comes when they need these other techniques to win, but the skills just aren't there. In Fazenbaker's third contest, it is entirely possible that he was the strongest opponent Chris Kretzinger (26-1) of Smithsburg had faced all year, but pure power finally failed, as Kretzinger took a quick pin over Fazenbaker in the semifinals. Fazenbaker was still alive in consolation action, but Beall's Jason Cutler (20-6) eliminated him in his fourth match, 5-1.

Considering that Fazenbaker entered states as a number four seed in his first year, he did astonishingly well - not only in achieving the statistically near-impossible in the first round, but also in claiming a final six finish. Here is a wrestler with much of the drive of Allen Bittinger, and if Fazenbaker can commit to a week or even two of wrestling camp this summer, he can claim even more glory at next year's states, but he desperately needs heavy doses of intensified instruction, and fast.

The eight individual victories by Bittinger, Beitzel, and Fazenbaker combined to give Northern 28 points for an 11th place finish, the second best finish in county history. Northern took fifth in 1990.

In every tournament, there is the bad with the

good, and two Rams ran into the bad. Senior Jason Rush (130-pound, 24-5) also entered the competition as a number four seed going up against a region champion, a very powerful Jack Bauman (25-1) of Mardella, and this time the outcome was more typical of the odds, as Rush fell 12-3 and was eliminated immediately. His graduation will challenge Coach Terry Kendall with a large gap to be filled in next season's lineup.

Pete Strawser, a sophomore (23-3), was eliminated by technical fall in the preliminary round at the hands of Chris Shelly (23-5) of Damascus. The defeat was especially painful because only the week before, Strawser had come within a razor's edge of winning the region championship in overtime.

After a tournament like this one, some may find it easy to ask why Rush and Strawser didn't win also. The answer is also easy: Each one did it by first beating out the 45 others in his weight class, across the state who just weren't good enough for the Maryland State Wrestling Tournament.



ONE IN 108 - In the preliminary rounds at the Maryland State Wrestling Tournaments for 1A/2A and 3A/4A schools, 108 match-ups were held between region champions and number four region finishers. The champions won 100 of these contests. Out of the 108 battles, only two upsets were recorded in which the number four grapplers pinned the top seeds, and only one of those two upset pinfalls occurred in the first period. Northern Husky Jason Fazenbaker (189 pounds, season record: 25-6) claimed the tournaments' only such upset when he pinned Region III champion Pat Brennan (22-9-1) at 1:34 into the match. Fazenbaker is shown above riding Hammond. In the background are Northern coaches Lynn Brenneman, right, and Scott Stough. Brenneman, the most successful wrestling coach in 24 years of county wrestling (his wrestlers have won seven place finishes in the last four state tournaments), has resigned to allow himself more time for his family. Stough will officially take over in May. (Photo by Craig Speicher.)

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Aerodynes Compete In Morgantown Gymnastics Meet

A number of Aerodynes from Garrett Gymnastics Club traveled to Morgantown, W.Va., on February 15 for the Annual Sweetheart Invitational. Eight of the local gymnasts competed attempting to qualify for the upcoming West Virginia State Games.

Competing in the Level Five category were Brooke Butler, 8, Becca Gangler, 9, Shasta Steffan, 10, and Wendy Craver, 14.

Miss Butler had a high score on vault with a 6.5, with an all-around score of 23.15. Miss Gangler finished second in her class on balance beam with a 7.10 among nine competitors. Her all-around score was 18.0. Wendy Craver had a high

score on vault with a score of 6.9 and an all-around score of 24.35. Miss Steffan had a high score of 7.65 on the uneven bars as well as on floor exercise. She placed tenth in a field of 13 with an all-around score of 28.40, which qualified her for the State Games.

In the Level 6 competition, three local gymnasts represented the Aerodynes: Heather Hanline, 9, and Susie Mosser, 11, competed in the 9-11 age group. There were 13 competitors with Miss Hanline finishing ninth on floor with a 7.45 and ninth on vault with a 7.8. She finished seventh on the beam with a 7.2. She finished ninth in her category in the all-around with a score of 28.4.

Miss Mosser finished ninth on bars with a 7.0 and tenth on the beam with a 6.8. Her all-around score was 27.55. Both Hanline and Mosser have now qualified for the state meet to be held in Morgantown on Saturday, March 28.

Bryanne Miller competed in the Level 6 12-14 age group with six other competitors. She placed third on floor with a score of 8.1. She



GYMNASTS COMPETE - The Aerodynes from Garrett Gymnastics Club in Loch Lynn were well represented at the Annual Sweetheart Invitational held in Morgantown, W.Va. on February 15. The local gymnasts were attempting to qualify for upcoming state and/or national meets. Those competing were, left to right, front row, Bryanne Miller and Heather Hanline; second row, Andrea Bender and Shasta Steffan; and third row, Susie Mosser, Wendy Craver, and Becca Gangler. Not present for the photo was Brooke Butler.

took fourth overall with a score of 30.25. Miss Miller has qualified for the Nationals to be held in Chicago on June 27 and 28 and for the state meet along with her teammates.

Andrea Bender, 10, was the Level 7 competitor for the Aerodynes. In a field of five, Miss Bender placed first on bars with a score of 8.0, first on vault with an 8.4, and first on floor with a 7.75. She took the all-around title for Level 7 (9-11-year-olds) with a score of 31.45. She also qualified for the state and national meets.

The Aerodynes hosted a meet on March 15 and another is slated for April 12. The public is invited to attend. The Aerodynes are coached by Nan Gangler and Tammy Tressler.

SHS Band Will Perform During Benefit Game

The Southern High School Band will perform during the second annual Red Cross Basketball Tournament, to be held this Friday, March 27, at Northern High School.

The first game, which will pit the faculty of Northern Middle School against the faculty of Southern Middle School, will begin at 6 p.m. It will be followed by a contest between the faculties of Northern and Southern high schools.

Proceeds from the event will benefit the Garrett County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Seven Treated

Continued from Page A-1 while under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs) arrests this past week.

Harold B. Stafford, 25, Lonaconing, was charged with DWI on Friday by Tfc. J.W. Hare.

James L. Smith, 43, Swanton, was stopped by Tfc. R.T. Wilson on Friday and charged with DWI.

Tfc. Hare charged Kenneth W. Pavol, 44, Oakland, with DWI on Sunday.

Bruce E. Brown, 24, Oakland, was charged with DWI on Sunday by Tfc. S.H. Anderson.

Tfc. Anderson also charged Steven K. Gardner, 37, Cumberland, with DWI on Sunday.



BITTINGER
by Brooke Brenneman, reporter

The Bittinger 4-H club held its March 2 meeting at the Bittinger Fire Hall with 13 members, five leaders, and one guest in attendance.

Brooke Brenneman led the pledges with Dawn Lohr reading the roll call and giving the secretary's report. Jenny Weller gave the treasurer's report.

Discussed were the roller skating activity on March 14 and the Achievement Dinner on April 4. All present then practiced giving a two-minute speech.

COUNTRY KIDS
Danielle DeBerry, reporter

The March meeting of the Country Kids 4-H Club was brought to order by President Jamie DeBerry. Secretary and treasurer reports were given and one new member, Christina Sheltra, was welcomed. One guest, Jennifer Sanders, was also present.

Underold business, there were reports given on the officers training meeting, roller skating, and the "Learning the 4-H Way" workshop. Under new business, speeches will be at GCC at 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 19. On March 29 the club will have a workshop to work on the centerpiece and name tags for the Achievement Dinner to be held April 4.

"Safety on Farms in Pleasant Valley" will be presented at the Extension Office at 2 p.m. on March 31. On April 26, there will be a "Learning the 4-H Way" workshop at Kathy DeBerry's house at 2 p.m.

Set up for the Achievement Dinner will be held April 4 at 1 p.m. at Southern High.

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Demonstrations were given by Bryan Barnard about the use of a bow; Daniel Sincell on first aid; and Bobby Barnard on measuring. Jerry Browning had a seed exchange.

The next meeting will be held at Alpine Lake. There will be a short meeting followed by swimming.

GCC Offering Environmental Gardening Course

Garrett Community College, Continuing Education Division, is offering a course entitled Environmentally Safe Backyard Gardening. Students will learn and discuss various soil preparations, vegetable growth patterns, growing tables, as well as environmentally safe insect sprays and dust.

This course will be held at the Oakland Center of the college each Thursday evening from 6 to 8 p.m.,

beginning April 2, for a total of four weeks.

Tuition for this course will be \$10 plus a \$5 registration fee. For more information or to register, persons may call 334-8304.

Savage River Church Slates Revival Services

Savage River Full Gospel Church, located along Savage River Road, Bloomington, announces revival services will be in progress April 5, 6, 7, and 8 at 7 p.m. with Evangelist Spence Decker and New Vision from Florida.

New Vision is comprised of Rev. Spence Decker, his wife, Karen, their daughter, Alaina Hallman, and her husband, Bob. They present a Southern Gospel quartet style of music. The public is invited to attend.

For more information, persons may call Pastor George A. Tichnell at 453-3327.

Meese Receives LB Sales Honor

David L. Meese, FIC, Berlin, Pa., has earned membership in Lutheran Brotherhood's 1991 Executives' Club.

The Executives' Club is one of the fraternal benefit society's most prestigious sales honors. Representatives become eligible for membership based on sales of insurance and investment products to Lutherans.

Meese is associated with Lutheran Brotherhood's Joseph Ruisi Agency based in Johnstown. Garrett County is part of his coverage area.

Lutheran Brotherhood and its subsidiaries offer life and health insurance, annuities and mutual funds to Lutherans nationwide. The Society currently has \$31

billion in life insurance in force and \$9.6 billion in assets under management.

KITZMILLER

Franklin and Velma DeWitt will observe their 28th wedding anniversary this month. They have three children: Rebecca, Andrew, and Timothy DeWitt. A private celebration is planned.

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FRIENDSVILLE NEWS

CHURCH OF BRETHREN

Membership classes are being held at the Asher Glade Church of Brethren every Tuesday at 7 p.m. and children's choir practice is every Wednesday at 7 p.m. Ladies Aid will meet Thursday, April 2, at 7 p.m. at the church. Saturday, March 28, and Sunday, March 29, there will be an intensive weekend Bible study at Salem Church of Brethren with Dr. Woodrow Brown in charge. Lunch will be provided.

Pastor Shirley Norman's ordination will take place

at Union Chapel on Sunday, March 29, at 3 p.m., followed by a covered dish dinner. Everyone is welcome.

On Sunday, March 29, the Asher Glade Brethren congregation will visit with the residents at the two nursing homes in Markleysburg, Pa., at 2:30 p.m.

LUTHERAN

A worship service will be at 10 a.m. on Sunday, March 29, at Grace Lutheran Church. Mid-week Lenten service are slated at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Accident, on Wednesday, April 1 and 8, at 7:30 p.m. for congregations of the parish. Lutheran Church Women will meet at church at 7:30 p.m. on Monday, April 6.

PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

A special "Sheaves For Christ Rally" will be held for Section 5 Youth at Calvary Tabernacle, Accident, on Saturday, March 28, at 7 p.m. A pizza treat will follow.

Orders are still being taken for the homemade decorated Easter eggs. Persons may call 746-5356.

FREEDOM CHAPEL

Orders will be taken for homemade Easter eggs until Sunday, April 12. Persons may call 746-5775 or 746-5715.

UNITED METHODIST

Greeters for Sunday, March 29, at Selby'sport Methodist Church will be Ervin and Dorothy Lowdermilk. Members of Friendsville Methodist Charge attended the Booth Festival covered dish dinner and program at Grantsville Methodist Church on Sunday, March 22. Paper products and canned foods were taken there for the Methodist Children's Home at Burlington, W. Va.

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HONOR BANDS PRESENT CONCERTS - Top band students from Northern and Southern middle schools and Northern and Southern high schools joined together last week to prepare for and present the annual Garrett County Honor Band concert, presented Saturday night at Southern High School. Pictured

above during a rehearsal session is the Middle Schools Honor Band, directed by Marga Clever of Southern Middle and Sharon McLaughlin of Northern Middle. The high school honor band was directed by Jim Board of Northern High and Rick Clever of Southern High.

DATE CHANGED

W.O.W. Grove 6043 will meet April 8 at 7 p.m. at Blooming Rose Methodist Church social room, instead of Wednesday, April 15, as indicated in the letters the members received. An official vote will be taken dealing with the dues increase. Members are urged to attend the meeting and share thoughts. The W.O.W. Grove 6043 met Wednesday, March 11, at the church social room with Julia Sines presiding. An auction was held. JoAnne Meyers received the 50-50 prize, and Julia Sines and Dot Lowdermilk won the door prizes.

HOMEMAKERS MEET

Mrs. Larna Umbel and co-hostess, Mrs. Faye Fike, entertained nine members and three guests of Friendsville Homemakers Club on Friday, March 20, for lunch at the Umbel home. Mrs. Berdena Wagner, president, presided at the business meeting. Mrs. Jessie McCullough read the scripture, Mrs. Larna Umbel gave the thought for the day. The club donated \$20 to the Northern Garrett Rescue Squad for hepatitis shots; \$20 to Friendsville Volunteer Fire Company and \$20 to the Heart Fund. The program on "Family Issues was discussed by all members. Judy Gordon, Deer Park, gave a demonstration on Watkins Products. The Friday, April 24 meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Ellen Humberson for lunch at 1 p.m.

DINNER GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Friend entertained with a dinner on Sunday at their home and guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Humberson, Grantsville, Charles Friend and Eleanor Teeta, Hazelton, W. Va., Mrs. Edna Friend, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Friend and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Humberson, Mrs. Virginia Schroyer, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Van Scheetz and Robert Humberson.

ROTARY NEWS

Hugh Dobson, a member of the Friendsville Rotary Club, spoke to club Monday of his life story. He was born in Baltimore, attended grammar school, high school, and college in Baltimore, joining the Army and went to Ft. Bragg, N.C., then to Germany, to Washington, D.C., San Antonio, Texas, again to Germany and on to Saudi Arabia. He

had pictures of himself with his unit in Saudi Arabia. He gave the Rotarians a taste of rations and showed the clothes that he wore over there. He came out of the service as a retired Lt. Col. last year and he and his wife live near Terra Alta, W. Va.

PERSONALS

Mrs. David Martin and Mrs. Dale Evans, Oakland, and Mrs. Linda Wolfe, were Thursday dinner guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Friend. Mrs. Friend and daughters, visited her mother, Mrs. Frank Ryan, Bruceton, W. Va., in the afternoon.

Mr. Gary Ray Friend has been with his daughter, Ms. Nancy Gribble, Rockwood, Pa., on a Mack Truck Show in Louisville, Ky., for 10 days.

Mrs. Jean Selby was a Monday overnight guest of Mrs. Ruth Selby, Cumberland, Md. and Mrs. Robert Selby, Baltimore, were Saturday visitors of Jean Selby.

Mrs. William Burow and Billy and Donald Friend and son, Dickie, Blooming Rose, visited with Mrs. G.R. Friend Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lepley, Mt. Savage, were Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. James Spear and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Esby Hook and family were Sunday dinner guests of his mother, Mrs. Grace Hook. Afternoon callers were her son, Paul, and his two sons, Accident. Mrs. Grace Hook was a Wednesday dinner guest of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Dale Hook.

Miss Amy Fisher, Fairfax, Va., spent the weekend here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindy Fisher, and grandmother, Mrs. Pearl Bittner.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Frantz, daughter, Thelma, and son, Jack, had dinner at Silver Tree Inn, Deep Creek Lake, on March 17 to celebrate Mrs. Frantz's birthday. Sunday dinner guests at Frantz home were: Ivan, Jay and Rhonda Humberson, Gaithersburg; Dana and Missy Humberson, Jack Frantz and Thelma Humberson, here; Chris, Freeman and children, Nathan and Rachel Ellen,

BPW Observing Annual Women's History Month

The Garrett County Business and Professional Women marked their 12th anniversary of Women's History Month with a special presentation at their meeting on Thursday, March 12, at Will O' the Wisp.

According to a club spokesman, Women's History Month serves as an incentive to celebrate women's history from the local to state and national events. "Ten years ago, women's history was totally absent from school curriculum and from our culture's consciousness. The idea for such a commemoration began in 1977 with a local week celebration in California. In 1980, President Carter issued the first Women's History Week Proclamation. In 1981, Congress passed its first Women's History Week Resolution. It has since been expanded to a month long celebration by Congressional Resolution in 1987," the spokesman said.

The 1992 theme for Women's History Month in Maryland is Maryland's Women's History, "A Patchwork of Many Lives." In conjunction with other BPW organizations in the state and the Maryland Commission for Women, the local BPW group studied women's history using the video, "There's No Such Thing as Women's Work." The program was presented by Mildred Wucik, principal at Northern High School and chairperson of Women's History Month. Ms. Rebecca Knox, certified beauty and color consultant and chairperson of the Future of Women in the Workplace Committee, discussed some "hard facts" about today's woman and her employment.

The Garrett County BPW meets the second Thursday of each month at Will O' the Wisp with dinner at 6:30 p.m. and the business portion beginning at 7:30 p.m. Any person interested in attending the meetings may call Peggy Jamison at 334-1920 or 334-1648 after 5 p.m. for dinner reservations.

Eastern Star Chapter Meets

Oakland Chapter #67, Order of the Eastern Star, met Tuesday, March 17, at the Paul B. Naylor Masonic Temple. Debbie Raynovich, Worthy Matron, opened the meeting with a reading, "Give a Smile Away."

Mrs. Raynovich greeted Wilda Hile, Deputy Grand Lecturer of Maryland and Grand Representative from West Virginia in Maryland, Elizabeth Mullenex, Past Matron of Olive Branch #34 Keedysville, and all officers and members of Oakland Chapter.

The Worthy Matron installed Phyllis Winklevoss as star point Adah. She was assisted by Wilma Minor, chaplain; Elizabeth McComas, Marshal; Lillian Reckner, organist; Denzil Hile, warder; and Archie Minor, sentinel.

Mrs. Raynovich and several officers presented a program entitled "The Lord's Prayer." Wilda Hilda concluded the program by singing "The Lord's Prayer." March birthdays were celebrated. Charee Reckner received the birthday honors.

Scheduled events include the Grand Chapter session to be held April 27-29 in Hagerstown; trip to Urania Chapter #284 Painesville, Ohio, May 8; bus trip to Lancaster, Pa., May 1-2 (persons may call 334-3630 for details). The next meeting will be held April 7 at 8 p.m.

The Worthy Patron presented a reading entitled "True Friend." She closed the meeting with "Luck of the Irish." Refreshments were served by Arveta Savage and her committee.

Church To Honor Pastor Fletcher

The congregation of Loch Lynn Church of God will hold Pastor Appreciation Day this Sunday, March 29, to honor their pastor of 25 years, Rev. Robert H. Fletcher.

A special program is scheduled for the 10 a.m. and 11 a.m. services, and Rev. Fletcher's son, Bobby, of Joppa, will speak at the 7 p.m. service. There will also be a covered dish dinner served in the afternoon.

All are welcome to attend the services and dinner.

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Promotion Council Holds Dinner At Silver Tree Inn

The annual membership dinner of the Deep Creek Lake-Garrett County Promotion Council was held Wednesday, March 18, at the Silver Tree Restaurant at Deep Creek Lake, with over 50 persons attending.

Introductory remarks were offered by Karen F. Spiker, president of the Council Board of Directors, followed by an update by Diane Wolfe, executive director, of Council accomplishments for the past year and planned activities for the upcoming membership year.

Guest speaker for the evening was George Williams, director of the Maryland Office of Tourism Development, who presented an overview of the economic impact of tourism, upcoming projects, and trends of the future in the tourism industry.

Also attending the dinner were staffs of the Council office and the Youghiogheny Overlook Information Center, and members of the Council Board of Directors.



PROMOTION COUNCIL HOLDS DINNER - The Deep Creek Lake - Garrett County Promotion Council held its annual membership dinner recently at Silver Tree Inn at Deep Creek Lake. Pictured above are members of the council's board of directors. They are, left to right, Jerry Geisler, Wisp Ski Area (vice president); Edwin Walther, Alpine Village, Inc.; Karen F. Spiker, A&A Realty Better Homes & Gardens (president); Rendle Rodeheaver, Rodeheaver & Associates; Elaine McDonald, Silver Tree Restaurant; Brenda Butcher, Garrett Co. Commissioner; Diane Wolfe, executive director. In the back row, same order, are Jerry Theyer, Garretland Realty; Karen Reckner, Presentations; and Dennis Glatfelter, Double G Ranch, Inc.

try. Also attending the dinner were staffs of the Council office and the Youghiogheny Overlook Information Center, and members of the Council Board of Directors.

BITTINGER-GLADES CHURCH NEWS

Word has been received that Margaret Beckman, a member of St. John's Lutheran Church, had fallen and broken her arm on March 13. She was residing with her daughter in Warren, Ohio. Her address is: c/o Mrs. Harold Friend, 3410 Todd Avenue South West, Warren, Ohio, 44481.

HAS EYE SURGERY - Martha Glatfelter underwent eye surgery on Thursday at Washington, Pa., to remove a cataract. Accompanying her was her son, Lamell, and Olive Bender. Miss Bender and Mrs. Glatfelter spent the night at the Holiday Inn in that city. The doctor allows his patients to stay at the inn free of charge and provides a free breakfast also.

BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED - On Sunday, March 15, a birthday dinner was held for Ida Reckner by members of her family. Attending were Lillian Reckner, Michaela Puliti, Mr. and Mrs. James Glatfelter, Linda Oester, Shelli Bittinger, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Carey and sons, Chris and Tony, Mrs. Tom Glatfelter, Taylor and Timmie, Lisa Platter, Adam and Amanda.

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Lucetta Stanton was a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Stanton and family and Fern Beachy to celebrate her 84th birthday on Sunday.

Paula and David Seaman were Sunday evening guests to celebrate the birthday of Hamill Glatfelter at his mother's home.

ATTEND FUNERALS - Leora Yaste and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beitzel attended the funeral of Mrs. Clayton Bender in Greenwood, Del., on Friday.

Lenny and Sally Poholsky and son, Torrey, attended the funeral of his brother, Victor, in Kittanning, Pa., on Tuesday.

TROOPER MOVES - Trooper Vincent, who had lived on Mosser Road for a few years, moved away. He had lived in JoAnne Scofield's house. Mrs. Scofield lives in Cleveland, Ohio. New occupants are moving into the house.

PERSONAL ITEMS - JoAnne Scofield was a Sunday afternoon visitor of Martha Glatfelter. She is Mrs. Glatfelter's niece.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Brennenman were: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Brennenman and family, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bender and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mast, John Williamson and daughter, Mary Anne, Charles Brennenman, Hadley and Christopher Resh.

Ferne Beachy visited Alvin and Norma Bowser at Keyser's Ridge on Wednesday. Other guests at the home were Mary Kamp and grandchildren.

Sunday dinner guests of Ida and Elmer Maust were: Corby and Kristine Graber and family; David and Keren Maust and children, Charlotte and Phillip Tice and children, Darrell and Twila Yoder and daughter, and Diane Yoder.

NHS Mock Trial Set; Teams To Raise Funds

Two Northern Garrett High School Mock Trial Teams will compete Monday, March 30, at 1 p.m. in the school cafeteria. This is a regularly scheduled trial with Garrett County District Court Judge Jack Turney presiding.

The Mock Trial Club will use this occasion to raise money for the school signboard. The members will be canvassing area businesses and citizens to make pledges for points accumulated by each member of the teams during the trials.

Teams captains are Mike Hetrick, team 1, and Wrenny Smith, team 2. Tom Ables is the Mock Trial advisor.

Ohio Chorale To Perform At Cherry Glade

The Rosedale Chorale from Irwin, Ohio, will present a choral worship service at Cherry Glade Mennonite Church, Accident, on Friday, April 3, at 7 p.m. The 34-voice mixed choir represents the Rosedale Bible Institute near Irwin, and is directed by Lloyd Kauffman.

The program will include a variety of selections from choral repertoire, spirituals, hymn arrangements, and contemporary songs. Songs include themes of praise to God, various worship expressions, and affirmations of faith and testimony.

The Rosedale Chorale is

formed each year by selection from the student body of the Rosedale Bible Institute. The Chorale has a regular spring schedule of musical programs extending throughout the eastern United States and Canada, according to a spokesperson. Additional tours have extended into the southern states, western U.S. and Canada, and overseas. The 1992 program schedule includes programs in Ohio, Indiana, Maryland, Pennsylvania, Kentucky, and Virginia.

Rosedale Bible Institute is sponsored by the Conservative Mennonite Conference of the Mennonite Church. The curriculum offers study in Bible and Theology, with supporting departments in missions, church history, pastoral studies, Christian education, church music, and elementary education.

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MARYLAND'S LARGEST BABY SHOWER, sponsored by the American Lung Association of Maryland and designed for pregnant women who smoke, is scheduled to be held at Silver Tree Inn on April 4. Persons may register for the free event by calling the Garrett County Health Department at 334-8111 or 695-3111. In the photo above, left to right, are Peggy Logedon, Becky Parke, Ann Sherrard, and Jackie Snelson, all of the Health Department and all members of the Maryland's Largest Baby Shower Committee. See story for details.

Silver Tree To Host Largest Baby Shower

Pregnant women who smoke may want to attend Maryland's Largest Baby Shower, sponsored by the American Lung Association of Maryland and the Garrett County Health Department, and slated for April 4.

"This is a very special baby shower for pregnant women who smoke or who have recently quit," said Ann Sherrard, RD, a member of the Baby Shower committee and nutrition and health coordinator with the Health Department. "We think it is important that mothers-to-be realize the importance of taking care of themselves and

not smoking while they are pregnant and also after delivery."

The Silver Tree Inn will play host to the event on Saturday, April 4, at 1:30 p.m. Shower guests will be served refreshments, receive gifts, and will have the opportunity to win door prizes from area merchants. The S. Schwab Company's Outlet Store has donated a gift for each expectant mother attending the shower.

A brief program will alert women to the hazards of smoking while pregnant, as well as to the effect of second-hand smoke on young children. Advice will also be offered on how to quit smoking. The speakers will include Dr. Donald Richter, M.D., Doris Baker, of Garrett County

Memorial Hospital, and Betty Herpel. Glen Bawa, regional director for the American Lung Association of Maryland, will serve as MC.

The event is free, but advance registration is required. To register or for additional information, persons should call the Garrett County Health Department at 334-8111 or 695-3111, or the American Lung Association of Maryland at 1-800-222-9974.

ARMED SERVICES REVIEW

Returns From Saudi Arabia

Chief Warrant Officer II David T. Ward returned from duty in Saudi Arabia on March 19.

Ward, a 1983 graduate of Northern High School, is the son of Mildred E. Rodeheaver, Oakland, and the step-son of the late Donald E. Rodeheaver Sr.

Ward enlisted in the U.S. Army in July 1983 and served as a truck vehicle mechanic in Baumholder, Germany, and Fort Riley, Kansas. After being selected for Warrant Officer Candidate School in 1987 and graduating from that school in 1988, he was stationed at Fort Polk, La. He was deployed to Southwest Asia in August 1991 for Operation Desert Farewell.

Ward served as a maintenance technician for tactical wheel vehicles while assigned to the 1st Area Support Group in Dhahran, Saudi Arabia. The unit's mission was to retrograde all equipment, supplies, ammunition, and tools back to the owning units that had already returned to their home stations. Ward also provided the only direct and general support maintenance element in Saudi Arabia, which consisted of a \$3.5 million contract with General Dynamics Corporation to work on the equipment used for the retrograde of over 450,000 short tons of ammunition.

Chief Ward was awarded the Army Commendation Medal for his seven months of service in Saudi Arabia.

Ward, who is now stationed at Fort Bragg, N.C., with the 82nd Airborne Corps, is the father of a 3-year-old son, David Allan, who resides in Lancaster, Pa.

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SENIOR CITIZENS' ART COMPETITION UNDERWAY - A Senior Citizens' Creative Arts Competition is currently underway in Garrett County sponsored by the Area Agency on Aging. Pictured above, left to right, are Elwood Groves, Garrett County Commissioner; Adine Brode, director of the Area Agency on Aging; and Commissioner Brenda Butscher, who is displaying a poster for the competition. The contest began on March 1 and entries may be submitted until April 30. It is open to all Garrett County residents aged 60 years and over. Seniors may enter in one of three categories: painting (works on paper or canvas), wood carving (no furniture), or ceramics (hand-crafted pottery only). Entries may be delivered to the agency at 221 S. Third Street, Oakland. The judges for the contest are Ron Skidmore, Sonia Pratt, and Ken Bauer. These three artists will be featured in next week's issue of *The Republican*. For more information, persons may call the agency at 334-5856.

U.S. Navy Chief Petty Officer Kenneth P. Ravenscroft, a 1977 graduate of Southern High School, Oakland, recently transited the Suez Canal with Air Anti-Submarine Squadron-32, Naval Air Station, Cecil Field, Fla., on the way to the Persian Gulf and is in the middle of a six-month deployment.

Ravenscroft's squadron is embarked aboard the aircraft carrier USS America while it leads a nine-ship battle group through various operations and training exercises. He spent the holidays in Naples, Italy, and then stopped in Souda Bay, Crete, which became that island's second visit from a U.S. carrier in 20 years.

Afterwards, he spent some time in Athens, Greece, where the carrier hosted a parade that included a performance by the ship's 65-member Marine Corps detachment. More than 200 international dignitaries attended a reception and toured the carrier.

Most recently, Ravenscroft visited Antalya, Turkey before transiting the Suez Canal. The USS America is the first Desert Storm veteran to return to the Persian Gulf since the war.

Ravenscroft's squadron flies the S-3 Viking aircraft, which can be used to fight enemy submarines and provide surveillance of surface ships.

He joined the Navy in August 1977.

James B. McCroskey, son of James and Debra McCroskey, Rt. 3, Deer Park, has enlisted in the U.S. Army.

A 1991 graduate of Southern High School, McCroskey qualified for the G.I. Bill Plus Army College Fund and will be eligible to receive up to \$22,800 for further education upon completion of his three-year enlistment. He signed up to become a wheel vehicle mechanic and will take basic at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo., and advanced training at Aberdeen Proving Grounds.

McCroskey's recruiter is Sergeant Lowell Collins of the LaVale Army Recruiting Station.

Dennis J. VanPelt, son of Paula VanPelt, Rt. 1, Swanton, has enlisted in the U.S. Army Reserve.

A senior at Westmar High School, VanPelt will receive a \$2,000 bonus because he chose to enlist for six years as a cannon crewmember, a critical job skill. He will also be eligible to receive up to \$5,040 in future educational benefits through the G.I. Bill. After completing basic training at Ft. Sill, Okla., and advanced training at the Redstone Arsenal, Ala., VanPelt will be assigned to the 351st Ordnance Company located in Romney, W. Va.

VanPelt's recruiter is Staff Sergeant William Goudy of the LaVale Army Recruiting Station.

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U.S. Navy Dentalman Recruit Marsha N. Montgomery, daughter of Marshall L. and Naomi V. Montgomery of Route 1, Mount Storm, W. Va., recently completed the Basic Dental Assistant Course.

During the course at the Naval School of Dental Assisting and Technology, Naval Station, San Diego, students receive instruction in medical and dental fundamentals. Course studies include dental operator equipment, intra-oral radiography, immediate life-saving procedures, sterilization and disinfection, preventive dentistry, oral examination and operative dentistry assistance. Emergency first aid and casualty care, along with receptionist and clerical duties, are also taught.

Montgomery, a 1991 graduate of Union High School, joined the Navy in June 1991.

Michael D. Slagle, son of Franklin and Carol Slagle, Oakland, was awarded the Army Achievement Medal for outstanding performance during his unit's Command Post Training Exercises. Slagle was also recently

promoted to the rank of Specialist (E-4) with less than a year in service. He plans to attend Warrant Officer School to become an Army Aviator.

Spec Slagle is a 1990 graduate of Southern High School and is currently stationed with "A" Battery, 5th Battalion, Third Air Defense Artillery, in Mainz, Germany. He has 21 months left on his enlistment.

U.S. Navy Petty Officer 2nd Class Brian T. Shillingburg, son of Lyndol S. and Roy K. Shillingburg Sr., Route 1, Elk Garden, W. Va., recently received a Letter of Commendation.

Shillingburg was cited for "superior performance of duty" while assigned aboard the destroyer USS Caron, homeported in Norfolk, Va. "He consistently performed his demanding duties in an exemplary and highly professional manner," the citation read.

Shillingburg, a 1985 graduate of Elk Garden High School, joined the Navy in February 1986.

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The Gospel Harmony Boys from Huntington, WV will be in concert at the Bloomington United Methodist Church on Saturday, April 4, at 7 p.m. The church is located off Rt. 135 in Bloomington, 2 miles west of Westernport. The group is celebrating their 40th year of ministering the gospel in song. Their latest release, "Narrow Road to Gloryland," can be heard on your local gospel radio station.

Rev. William R. Brown, pastor of the church, would like to welcome everyone to come and share the gospel in song. For more information call: (301) 359-3551 or (301) 359-3839. A free will offering will be received during the evening.

SWANTON

David, Austine, and Adam Friend, Bealton, Va., visited Alvin and Arveta Lee and other relatives. David's mother, Sara Friend, returned to Bealton with the family.

Maude Beckman was released from Sacred Heart Hospital, Cumberland, last Friday.

Frances Otto, Mary, and Clarence Paugh were visited by Peggy and Ellsworth Lambert, Table Rock, on Saturday evening. The Lamberts also called on Orval and Mareva Teets.

Randall and Mary Friend, Warren, Ohio, were weekend guests of Dorothy, Melvin, and Andrew Beckman. On Saturday they attended the wedding of Anna Fragmin and Simon Harvey at the Independent Baptist Church, Mtn. Lake Park.

John Warnick, Middletown, visited his parents, Grace and Gail Warnick, over the weekend.

Freda, Glenn, Orval and Mareva Teets joined Jim Teets, Mildred Umbel, Mary Hoff, Arthur and Edna Teets, Rose and Clarence Laub at the Casselman Hotel, Grantsville, for a family dinner on Friday, March 20.

Mark, Chloe and Sophia Holschneider, Accident, were Sunday dinner guests of Caroline and Dan Hutson and John Rhodes.

Margaret Beckman, visiting Peggy and Harold Friend in Warren, Ohio, has sustained a broken arm and is confined to the home.

Betty Wildesen has been admitted to Ruby Memorial Hospital, Morgantown, W. Va., March 19.

Freda and Glen Teets were Sunday dinner guests of Jim and Cathy Wilt, Oakland. Other guests were Roger and Betty Wilt, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Unger, and two grandchildren.

Glimpse Of The Past . . .



ONE OF THE MOST SCENIC OVERLOOKS in Garrett County, especially during the autumn months, is the Cove off U.S. Rt. 219 just south of Accident. This photo of the Cove was taken some 70 years ago by the famous local photographer, Leo Beschky, when fields were cultivated against steep slopes upon which farmers did not dare operate their tractors. Some of the fields

pictured here have been "reclaimed" by trees and are now dotted with a number of buildings and houses. This photo, on loan by Mary Strauss, Accident, is published courtesy of the Garrett County Historical Society and The Republican. Persons interested in learning more about membership in the Society may obtain information at the Ruth Enlow Library in Oakland.

On Monday at the Senior Meal Site, Irnigard Koscielniak, of the Cooperative Extension Service, conducted a survey for the Area Agency on Aging pertaining to housing for the elderly in Garrett County.

OTTERBEIN U.M. CHURCH NEWS

The Brotherhood breakfast will be Saturday, March 28, at the Casselman Hotel, Grantsville, at 7:30 a.m.

The Administrative Council met last Tuesday evening. Plans for revival services to be held April 12-18 were made. Rev. Charles Teets, pastor of Gortner Union Church, will be the

evangelist. Services begin at 7 p.m. with special music each evening.

EASTER PLANS

Pastor Gus Monu will speak at the 6 a.m. sunrise service Easter morning. The young adult Sunday School class will serve a fellowship breakfast after the service. The choir will present an Easter cantata at the 11 a.m. worship service.

Louise Beckman announced that United Methodist Committee on Relief Offering "One Great Hour of Sharing," will be received on Sunday, March 29.

Sunday night, March 29, the Brotherhood Fifth Sunday Sing will be held at Hoyes United Methodist Church at 7:30 p.m.

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Carol Miller To Be Guest Speaker At Aglow Meeting



The Oakland Women's Aglow Fellowship will hold its monthly meeting on Saturday, March 28, at 9:30 a.m. at the Mtn. Lake Park Campground Dining Hall located off MD Rt. 135. The guest speaker will be Mrs. Carol Miller from Williamsport.

"From a childhood of rejection and loneliness to a position as a child of the king" is Carol Miller's story. Miller hails from a varied background. She was born and educated in Indiana and worked as a bacteriologist before marriage. Baptized a Methodist, she attended a Roman Catholic boarding school and was confirmed an Episcopalian. Later she joined a Presbyterian and then a Lutheran church.

"She finally met the Lord and became a believing Christian in 1972," said an Aglow spokesperson. "Early in her walk with the Lord, she was called to feed his sheep. This led to an interest in world hunger problems and the development of the Williamsport Food Bank which she directed for 10 years."

Miller served the Hagerstown, MD Aglow in many different positions before being called to the MD-West Area Board for five years. It is her desire to see the women of the Md-West Area become disciples of Jesus so that they may be made "holy in every part, and kept sound in spirit, soul and body, without fault when our Lord Jesus Christ comes." Thes 5:23

All area women are welcome. For more information, interested persons may call 387-9352 or 334-8891.

"Creation/Fall" Discussion Set For Wednesday

"The Creation and the Fall" is the scheduled topic for the second in a series of Wednesday evening discussions being presented by the Deep Creek Branch of the Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints Church.

Douglas Reineke, counselor to the state president of the Winchester Virginia Stake, will lead this discussion on Wednesday, April 1, starting at 7 p.m. It will be held in the church building located at 1022 John Drive in Mountain Lake Park.

The public is invited to attend.

Workshop Offered On Rural Income Opportunities

A workshop entitled "Income Opportunities for Rural Areas Utilizing Your Natural Resources" will be held Saturday, April 4, at the Center for Career and Technical Education in Cresaptown, five miles south of Cumberland on Rt. 220.

Sponsored by the Cooperative Extension Service at

land-grant universities in Maryland, West Virginia, and Pennsylvania, and the Small Development Center, the workshop will help farmers and other rural landowners learn how to gain additional income from their properties by providing them with information on how to produce, market, and finance a variety of non-traditional products and services.

The morning program will include an evaluation of possible enterprises. A group of experts will then address such issues as how to develop a business plan, financial considerations, and risk management and liability.

As part of the panel discussion, a professional marketing consultant will explain the marketing considerations involved in establishing or improving a business. Other panelists will describe various marketing scenarios.

Participants will attend two-hour long sessions in the afternoon. They may choose among topics such as aquaculture, dried and cut flowers, forest production, plant nurseries, fallow deer farming, wines and vineyards, and others.

The fee for the workshop is \$9, which includes lunch and informational materials.

The deadline for pre-registration has been extended to March 31. Persons may pre-register or receive a brochure by calling the Allegany County Office of the Cooperative Extension Service, Maryland Institute for Agriculture and Natural Resources at 301-724-3320. Brochures are also available at the local Cooperative Extension Service offices.

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GRANTSVILLE

Mrs. Judy Selbold has returned home from Sacred Heart Hospital.

Clemen Yommer has returned home after spending three weeks in Sacred Heart Hospital.

Walter Younklin remained a patient in Sacred Heart Hospital.

Mrs. Bertha Gearhart remains a patient in Sacred

Heart Hospital. Harold Swartsweller is a patient in Sacred Heart Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Yoder and children, Louisville, Ky., were here for the funeral of his aunt.

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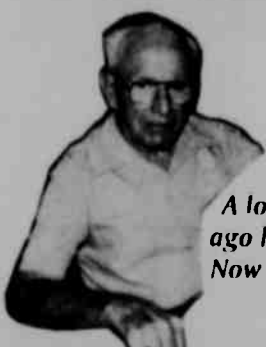


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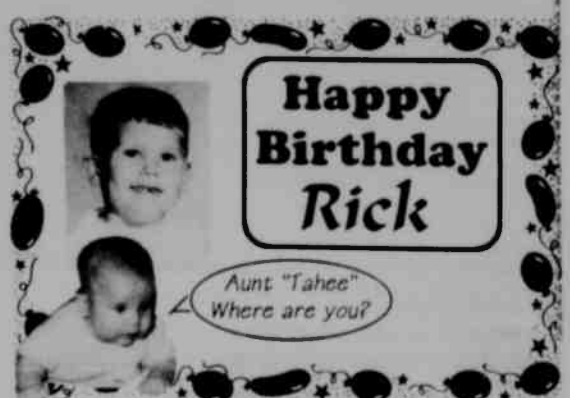
Oh, Look at my Bundle of Joy From Heaven now Aaron will be

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY MAMMA!

The children of Myrtle Bittner

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Virginia Power Employees Rescue Man From Fire

Driving to work one afternoon in January, John Tipton and Jim Horschler, both meter shop employees at the Mt. Storm Power Station, noticed a plume of heavy black smoke.

At first they thought nothing of it. In the rugged, rural country surrounding the Mt. Storm Power Station, it is not unusual for residents to burn trash in their yards.

After we passed the house, we could see the smoke was coming from around the back of the house," Tipton said. "It just didn't look right."

After driving nearly half a mile past the house, both men decided to turn back and take a second look.

That second look saved the life of Charles Thomas of New Creek, W. Va.

"I'm glad we decided to stop. We would have read about him in the newspapers the next day," Horschler said.

Tipton pulled into the driveway, and both men got out to investigate. Peering into a window, they discovered the house was filled with billowing smoke. They ran to

a nearby house and asked a neighbor to call the local fire department.

Hurrying back to the house, they called out to see if anyone was inside. From the living room they heard a muffled voice. Racing into the house, they found Thomas close to unconsciousness.

By this time, the smoke was so thick that Tipton and Horschler could only see a few inches in front of them. Meeting Thomas in the hallway, John and Jim led him to safety.

Tipton found a five gallon bucket and began throwing water on the outside of the house. Using the kitchen sink and an oil pan, Horschler found the flames from inside the house.

Tipton, wondering what had happened to the fire department, made another call. The fire department was on standby, but had not been able to get a clear address. They arrived minutes later.

Local fire officials said if the two company employees had not stopped, Thomas certainly would have died in the fire. Their quick action also saved the 100-year-old house.

In honor of their courage, Virginia Power earlier this month presented both men with its highest honor, the Award of Valor. Virginia Power presents this award only in instances where employees risk harm to themselves to save another person.

In the seven years in which this award has been presented, only six out of nearly 13,000 employees have received it. In letters, Virginia Power's president, Dr. James T. Rhodes, praised Tipton and Horschler for their courage. "Their caring and



SAVE MAN FROM BURNING HOUSE - Quick and courageous action by two employees of the Mt. Storm Power Station resulted in saving the life of a New Creek, W. Va. man, John Tipton and Jim Horschler were driving to work when they noticed heavy smoke coming from the house of Charles Thomas. They entered the house and were successful in rescuing Thomas from the house (see story for details). Pictured left to right above are Horschler, Thomas, and Tipton.

courage prevented what could have been another fatality and burned home," Dr. Rhodes said.

AURORA/EGLON NEWS

SPAGHETTI DINNER

A spaghetti dinner will be served April 4 from 5 until 7 p.m. at the Roy Durst Fellowship Hall of the Amboy United Methodist Church. Donations will be \$4.50 for adults, \$2.50 for children 5 to 12, and free to children under 5. The dinner is sponsored by the teens of the church.

AURORA SMORGASBORD

A smorgasbord dinner is being served on Saturday evening, March 28, from 4:30 until 7 p.m. at the Aurora Methodist Memorial Building. Cost to adults is \$5.00 and for children, \$2.00, with the event sponsored by the Loyalty S.S. Class.

FOOD HANDLERS CLASS

At 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 31, a food handlers class will be conducted at the Aurora fire hall. All of those involved in serving public meals may renew or obtain cards at this time. Those who desire the information but do not wish to be carded are welcome to monitor the class.

LENTEN SERVICES CONTINUE

Each Wednesday evening the Lenten services in Union District are being held with the one for April 1 being at Maple Grove Assembly of God with the Rev. Dennis Mehauff as the speaker. All times are 7:30.

BOOK SALE

Selected Categories: Cathy Ford Mystery, Meschach Browning Pubs, Maps: Topo, Highway, Trails, Fishing Map of D.C. Lake, Folklore, Genealogy File, Paper Memorabilia, Prints, Old Maps, Early Magazines, Stamps, Comics, R.R. Cards, Gen. Fiction, Non-Fiction, Used Books Bought & Sold, Local Crafts, Health Supplies, Trash & Treasure Room, Appalachian Book Shop, Oak & 2nd, 10-5, 334-4334, The Work & Macrobatics.

gym. All persons interested in becoming a part of this program, in knowing more about it, are invited to attend this informational meeting. For further details, persons may contact Debbie Dumire at 735-6474.

HOMEMAKER NEWS

Betty Fint, vice president, called to order the March 17 meeting of the Aurora Extension Homemakers in the home of Sue Mayne. Devotions on the topic of "Faith" were presented by Ernestine Sisler and Dean Sisler.

CLAYTON DEATH

Woodrow Clayton, 79, of Mt. Grove died Friday, March 20, at the VA Hospital in Clarksburg. He is survived by a son, a daughter, and a sister, Mrs. Orville Kight of Mt. Grove is a niece.

PERSONAL MENTION

James Pennington of Swallow Falls is a patient in Garrett County Memorial Hospital where he underwent hip replacement surgery March 19. He is a former Eglon resident.

Cindy Harsh returned to her home at Horse Shoe Run last week and is recuperating from recent surgery at Garrett Memorial.

Brooke Stemple of Aurora was admitted last Monday to Garrett Memorial where he was treated and returned on Thursday to his home.

Coleman Shaffer of Aurora was injured last week while caring for his cattle and had to be hospitalized for treatment. He was able to return to his home on Sunday. He suffered fractured ribs and other injuries.

Mrs. Virginia Bolyard is recuperating at her Eglon home after undergoing surgery last week at Garrett County Memorial.

Homer Fike of Eglon underwent out-patient surgery Monday at Garrett Memorial.

Thinking that spring had arrived, Mary Fultz and Vesta Anderson of Warren,

Ohio, made a Sunday visit to Aurora where they brought a turkey dinner to share with David, Beulah, and Kathy Hardesty at their Mt. Top home.

Mrs. Annie Starr of Twinsburg, Ohio, was hospitalized last week and visiting her there were her son and daughter-in-law, Herb and Jean Starr, of Stemple Ridge. They also visited with his uncle, Floyd Starr, at Warren who had recently been hospitalized. Visiting this week with the Starrs are their daughter and family, Debbie, Bill, Candy, and Billy Crites of Akron, Ohio.

Mrs. Starr's father, Harold Harsh, fell recently at his home and, although badly bruised, he did no serious injury.

THOMAS FOODSHARE

Thomas Community Center FoodShare distribution day is set for March 28 from 8:30 until 10 a.m.

A training session for the FoodShare program will be held April 1 at 9 a.m. in the Thomas Community Center

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Sue Mayne led a discussion of "Generations at Risk" beginning with the different problems confronting today's children and teens as compared to the older generation. Each member added to the discussion which emphasized the stresses and needs of children and led to an attempt to form some solutions for these.

A get-well card was signed for Martha Bolyard and a thank-you from the Preston County 4-H Foundation was read. Winner of the pig-in-the-poke was Betty Fint. Virginia Martin showed pictures she had taken on her recent trip to

California and Arizona and explained each of them.

Those attending included the above named plus Dorothy Spaid, Wilda Stemple, and new member, Rennie Conrad.

PERSONAL MENTION

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bolyard returned Monday to their home in Kingston, Tenn., after staying in Aurora during his sister's surgery and a portion of her convalescence. His sister is Martha Bolyard.

Jim Jamison was able to return last week to his home in Youghiogheny Forest after being hospitalized for an injury to his back.

TERRA ALTA

CARD SHOW SET

The Terra Alta Youth League will sponsor a Sports Card Show on Saturday, April 11, from 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the East Preston Junior High Commons Area. Cost of each table is \$15 to set up. Door prizes will be given every hour. Admission at the door is \$1 per person. For more information, persons may call 789-6149.

Youth Group To Sponsor Dinner

The Mt. Storm Presbyterian Youth group will sponsor an "all-you-can-eat" spaghetti dinner on Saturday, April 4, from 4-7 p.m., at the Mt. Storm Fire Hall, Mt. Storm, W. Va.

Cost for the dinner will be \$4 for adults and \$2 for children, aged 12 and under. Meatballs and dessert will be extra.

State Budget

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includes creating a new six-percent personal income tax bracket for Marylanders with taxable incomes of \$100,000 or more; raising the state's 18.5 cents-a-gallon gasoline tax to 23.5 cents a gallon; taxing the sale of "gas-guzzling" vehicles and giving tax breaks on the sale

of fuel-efficient vehicles; raising the tax on a pack of cigarettes from 16 to 36 cents; expanding the state's five percent sales tax to include snack foods, food sold in cafeterias, prepared foods sold in grocery stores and newspapers; and giving the 24 local jurisdictions the authority to raise their maximum piggyback income tax rates from 50 to 60 percent.

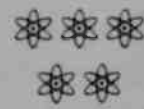
Both the House and Senate budget plans will now go to a six-member conference committee, whose members will try to work out a compromise that will then require majority approval from both chambers for passage.

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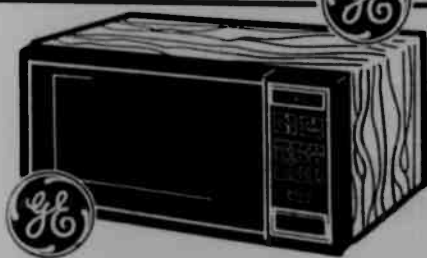


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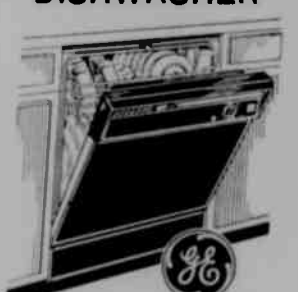


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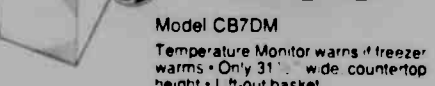
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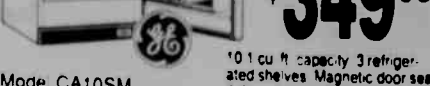


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Dark, sweet cherries offer a juicy contrast to creamy Wisconsin Ricotta cheese in Cherry-Cheese Tart Jubilee.

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Along with sweet desserts, Medieval hosts frequently served a cheese and fruit course to finish a meal. The custom grew in popularity during the 17th century when cheese was believed to aid digestion.

Today, at home and in restaurants, many Americans are adopting the European custom of pairing cheese and fruit to finish a meal. The refreshing and complex flavors of two favorite foods, matched on occasion with a dessert wine, is a sophisticated pleasure for all palates.

This dining trend borrowed from the Old World merely simplifies what many of us enjoy when cheese and fruit are combined in a dessert recipe. The appealing flavors of rich cheese and tangy fruits, such as dark, sweet cherries, yield winning desserts time after time.

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CHERRY-CHEESE TART JUBILEE

- 1 container (16 ounces) Wisconsin Ricotta cheese
- ½ cup sour cream
- ½ cup sugar
- 3 tablespoons almond-flavored liqueur
- 2 tablespoons flour
- 1 teaspoon grated orange peel
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- 2 eggs, separated
- 1 pre-baked and cooled 9½-inch tart shell (recipe follows)
- 3 cups frozen Northwest pitted dark sweet cherries, partially thawed
- 2 tablespoons red currant jelly, melted
- 2 to 3 tablespoons toasted sliced almonds

Push cheese through sieve into large bowl. Mix in sour cream, sugar, liqueur, flour, orange peel and salt. Beat in egg yolks. In another bowl beat egg whites to form soft peaks; fold into cheese mixture. Pour into prepared tart shell. Bake in 350-degree oven 50 to 60 minutes until lightly browned, puffy and set. Cool on rack. Just before serving arrange *partially thawed* cherries on tart. Brush cherries with jelly. Garnish with almonds. Serve immediately.

Makes 8 servings

TART SHELL: In large bowl mix 1 cup flour, 1 tablespoon sugar and ¼ teaspoon salt. Add 6 tablespoons cold butter, cut into chunks. Cut in with pastry blender until mixture resembles coarse meal. Beat 1 egg yolk with 2 tablespoons ice water. Add to flour mixture. Mix with fork and gather into a ball. Roll out on lightly floured surface into 11-inch circle. Fit into 9½-inch tart pan with removable bottom. Fold pastry overhang back toward inside and press firmly against side of pan, allowing pastry to extend slightly above top. Refrigerate 10 minutes. Meanwhile, heat oven to 425 degrees. Prick tart shell all over with fork and line with aluminum foil. Fill with pie weights, dried beans or rice. Bake 14 minutes. Remove foil and weights; continue to bake 10 to 15 minutes longer until lightly browned and cooked through. Cool on rack.

CHERRY-MASCARPONE TRIFLE

- 3 cups frozen Northwest pitted dark sweet cherries, divided
- ¼ cup cream sherry
- 1½ cups milk
- 3 egg yolks
- 3 tablespoons sugar
- ½ teaspoon vanilla
- 1 pound cake (10½ to 12 ounces), thawed if frozen
- 1 container (7 ounces) or 1 cup Wisconsin Mascarpone cheese
- ¼ cup crushed Italian biscuits

Marinate cherries in sherry. Refrigerate while preparing custard. Combine milk, yolks and sugar in small saucepan; cook and stir until thickened. Remove from heat and stir in vanilla. Cut cake into bite-size pieces and place in 6- to 8-cup glass bowl. Drain and reserve ¼ to 1 cup marinated cherries; spoon remaining cherries and marinade over cake. Reserve 1 cup custard; pour remaining custard over cake. Cover surface with waxed paper or plastic wrap; refrigerate 2 to 4 hours until completely chilled. Completely cool remaining custard and gently stir into cheese in bowl; spread over top of trifle. Sprinkle with crushed biscuits and garnish with reserved cherries.

Makes 8 to 10 servings

CHOCOLATE FONDUE AND FROZEN CHERRIES

- 1 bag (16 ounces) frozen Northwest pitted dark sweet cherries
- 6 ounces semisweet chocolate*
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 2 tablespoons half-and-half
- 2 tablespoons kirsch, or almond-flavored liqueur**
- 1 cup finely chopped toasted hazelnuts, optional

Partially thaw cherries by placing in refrigerator 15 to 30 minutes. In small saucepan over very low heat melt chocolate and butter. Stir in half-and-half and liqueur. Pour chocolate mixture into fondue pot; keep warm. Serve with partially thawed cherries and long picks or fondue forks. Dip cherries into sauce, then into hazelnuts. Eat immediately.

Makes 6 servings

*Six ounces equal 1 cup chocolate pieces.

**One-fourth teaspoon almond extract can be substituted.

CHEDDAR-PEACH SHORTCAKES

- 1½ cups flour
- ¼ cup sugar
- 3 tablespoons cornmeal
- 4 teaspoons baking powder
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- ¼ teaspoon nutmeg
- ¼ cup butter, softened
- 1½ cups shredded, sharp Wisconsin Cheddar cheese (5 ounces)
- ½ cup milk
- 2 eggs, separated
- Additional cornmeal
- Additional sugar
- 4 to 5 cups peeled peach slices (1½ to 2 pounds peaches)
- 1 cup whipping cream, whipped and lightly sweetened

Measure flour, sugar, cornmeal, baking powder, salt and nutmeg into large bowl. Cut in butter until mixture resembles coarse meal. Mix in cheese. In small bowl mix milk, 1 egg and 1 egg yolk with fork, reserving remaining egg white for glaze. Add milk mixture to large bowl; stir just to blend thoroughly. Divide dough into 6 equal portions. Form into 3-inch circles, spaced apart, on greased baking sheet dusted with cornmeal. Brush with reserved egg white and sprinkle generously with sugar. Bake in 450-degree oven 10 to 12 minutes until lightly browned. Remove from pan; cool on rack. Sweeten peaches, to taste. Halve shortcakes horizontally; place bottoms on serving plates. Top with some of the peaches and dollop with whipped cream. Cover with shortcake tops and more peaches; dollop with whipped cream.

Makes 6 large shortcakes

COVER
STORYA director who directs
directors on Oscar night

BY LYNN HOOGENBOOM

Sometimes the best part of an Oscar telecast doesn't take place until the morning after. That's when people gather around water coolers everywhere to comment on the actor who mis-



Geena Davis

read his cue cards, the actress who wore an outrageous gown, or the director who rambled on incoherently.

Considering the monumental task of putting together a show like "The 64th Annual Academy Awards" (airing Monday, March 30, on ABC), though, there's something more amazing than what occasionally goes wrong: how much usually goes right. Consider:

- It's a live show, something few people in TV know how to handle anymore.

- Its major participants—movie stars—frequently have had very little experience in front of live audiences.

- Rehearsal time is severely limited because of demanding schedules. Director Jeff Margolis is lucky if he can get presenters like Geena Davis, Kathy Bates, Goldie Hawn, Whoopi Goldberg, Spike Lee, Steven Spielberg and Audrey

Hepburn together for one day to rehearse.

So how does Margolis do it? "There are months and months of preparation here," he says. "I do enough homework to give everybody who's involved all of the information that they can possibly have not to make an error."

The show is carefully scripted, but host Billy Crystal will be given a free rein. "He's so clever, and he's so fast," says Margolis. "An awful lot of what he does on the show is ad lib."

The one thing over which Margolis has no control is acceptance speeches. (Winners are asked to limit them to 40 seconds.) "They've all watched enough award shows," he says. "I'm sure that some of them have been sitting at home in their living rooms saying, 'Gee, I wish that guy would get off the stage.' And I'm sure they've also said, 'Wow, what a good speech—right to the point, thanked all the proper people and got off.' Hopefully, they'll do the same for themselves."

Where is Margolis on Oscar night? Backstage, supervising. Setting up camera angles? In the audience enjoying the show?

Margolis laughs. "No, no, I'm the director," he says. "I'm in a remote truck, looking at a monitor wall, wearing a headset, talking to over 200 people, actually getting the show on the air. I talk to all of the cameramen and tell them what I want, all of the soundmen and tell them what I want. And I call the cues to change the scenery, and I cue the presenters out. It's an astronomical responsibility."



Billy Crystal hosts "The 64th Annual Academy Awards Presentation." The ceremony honoring Hollywood's best airs Monday, March 30, on ABC.

TV DIALOGUE

BY TONI REINHOLD

MUSICAL McFERRINS—Caa you tell me about singer Bobby McFerrin? His music is very uplifting and refreshing. —H.L., Cambridge, Mass.



Bobby McFerrin

McFerrin, 42, comes from a musical family. His father is baritone Robert McFerrin Sr., who was the first black man to sing at the Metropolitan Opera; it was he who dubbed the vocals for Sidney Poitier in the 1959 film version of "Porgy and Bess." Bobby's mother, Sara, is a soprano and head of the music department at Fullerton Community College in California. Bobby McFerrin pursued a career in music after graduating from college. He worked as a keyboardist, arranger and backup singer for lounge acts before becoming a solo singer in 1977. His work as a recording artist has led to nine Grammy awards and a 1988 platinum album called "Simple Pleasures," which contained the hit single "Don't Worry, Be Happy." Two years ago, McFerrin formed a singing group called Voicestra, with which he tours. His recent accomplishments include collaborating with cel-

list Yo-Yo Ma on an album called "Hush," which features five of McFerrin's compositions.

DEMI'S BABIES—How old is Demi Moore? How many children does she have? —K.R., Houston

Moore, 28, is married to Bruce Willis, with whom she has two daughters. Scout and Rumer. She will star in the upcoming movie "A Few Good Men."

'PETTICOAT' CAST—How many members of the cast of "Petticoat Junction" are deceased? Will there be a reunion movie for that show, "Gomer Pyle" or "The Beverly Hillbillies"? —L.W.H., Louisville, Va.

The cast of the 1963-70 comedy "Petticoat Junction" was too extensive to run through here, but quite a few of the principals have died. Bea Benaderet, who played Kate Bradley, died in 1968. Edgar Buchanan, who played Uncle Joe, died in 1979. Smiley Burnette, who played Charlie Pratt, died in 1967. Rufe Davis, who played Floyd Smoot, died a year later. All six of the actresses who played Billie Jo, Bobbie Jo and Betty Jo at various times in the series are still alive, as is Mike Minor, who played Steve Elliott.

No reunion movies are currently planned for any of the shows you mentioned.

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SPORTS CALENDAR

World Championships
skate into Oakland

BY CHRISTOPHER HULL

American women figure skaters Kristi Yamaguchi and Nancy Kerrigan, fresh off their medal-winning performances at the Olympic Winter Games last month in Albertville, France, get the opportunity to skate in front of the home fans this week at the World Figure Skating Championships in Oakland, Calif.

NBC devotes two hours of

the gold medal in France. Kerrigan also opened a few eyes by challenging strongly, and coming away with the bronze, while Ito took the silver. They'll be joined by Tonya Harding, the 1991 U.S. National Champion.

The competition in Albertville has been recognized by many as the ugliest Olympic women's figure skating competition in years. The event's deterioration—it was marred by falls and slip-ups by each of the medal winners—has been blamed on the continuing downplaying of the sport's ballet-like artistic components in favor of its athletic elements (read: more frequent and more difficult jumps).

At last year's World Championships, American women swept the medals for the first time in history, with Yamaguchi winning the gold, Harding the silver and Kerrigan the bronze. If Yamaguchi can take the gold this year, it will be the ninth straight time that the Olympic women's champion has captured the World Championship in the same year.

• The NCAA Division I men's basketball tournament winds its way toward a conclusion this week. The Southeast and Midwest regional finals air Sunday, March 29, on CBS. That takes the eliminations down to the Final Four, who play a semifinal doubleheader Saturday, April 4, in Minneapolis. The winners play for the National Championship next Monday, April 6. CBS has exclusive coverage.

• On Saturday, April 4, the Santa Anita Derby is broadcast live on ABC's "Wide World of Sports."



Kristi Yamaguchi

prime time to the competition on Sunday, March 29, the final day of the six-day event. The telecast includes live coverage of the women's final and taped coverage of the pairs final.

Going into the competition, the American women skaters have every reason to be confident. Although France's Surya Bonaly, the reigning European champion, is expected to be there, Japan's Midori Ito, the Olympic silver medalist, announced on March 10 that she would not skate in the event.

The 20-year-old Yamaguchi, who grew up just 10 miles south of Oakland in Fremont, surprised herself by winning

THIS WEEK



Barbara Walters

FOREVER Oscar: "The 64th Annual Academy Awards Presentation," airing Monday, March 30, on ABC, is only part of the Oscar-related programming airing throughout the evening. On ABC, Tom Cruise, Michelle Pfeiffer and Anthony Hopkins are interviewed by Barbara Walters in her traditional Oscar-night special. Cable's E! Entertainment Television brackets the awards ceremony with a pair of specials. The two-hour "E! Academy Awards Pre-Show" features Michael Castner and Dagny Huitgreen talking to Oscar nominees and a look at the preparations for the big night, and "E! Academy Awards Post-Show" goes backstage to talk to the winners. Meanwhile, The Nashville Network's "Crook and Chase" expands to a live, one-hour format to kick off its new season with an Oscars show. In related Oscar news, the "National Geographic Explorer" segment "Bird-nesters of Thailand (Shadow Hunters)," which was repeated last week on TBS, is an Academy Award nominee for Best Documentary Short Subject. • British comedian Rowan Atkinson stars in the five-episode comedy series "Mr. Bean," premiering Thursday, April 2, on HBO.

SOAP SCOOP

It's murder these days
on 'As the World Turns'

BY CONNIE PASSALACQUA

Soaps thrive on murder mysteries because they fulfill two basic soap needs: their sheer elaborateness fills up a lot of episode time, and, of course, they provide suspense. Unfortunately, most soap homicides are no more complex than those on "Murder, She Wrote" and are infinitely easier to solve. Leaks by soap publicists and soap-opera fan

magazines of the murderer's identity (most commonly discovered when the actor who plays the murderer announces weeks earlier that he's leaving the show) take away any remaining suspense.

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has written this story line with the complexity—and length—of a Dostoevsky novel. Particularly striking has been the crackjack performance of Ellen Dolan, who plays detective Margo Hughes, the head of the complicated investigation. If only she didn't have her wimp of a husband, Tom (played by Scott Holmes), the district attorney, attached to her hip in every single scene! Bill Tatum, as nerdy patsy Arthur Clayborne, has been a comic joy, even if this aspect of the role is unintentional.

The whole month of February was spent incriminating dashing villain Gavin Kruger (played by the excellent Mark Tymchyshyn), now under arrest. But the crafty Marland can construct murder mysteries with conclusions that are not only shocking, but impossible for the audience to solve in advance. (Remember John Wesley Shipp's good-guy-but-secretly-psychotic Douglas Cummings?) So we'd bet one of Gavin's six dozen Armani suits that he's just a red herring.

Our personal bet is that the culprit is the audience's No. 1 suspect from the start, Carolyn's widower, Darryl Crawford (played by Rex Smith). Darryl married Frannie Hughes (played by Mary Ellen Stuart) a scandalous few months after Carolyn's death, and he has been living off her fortune. Besides, Darryl has been a bland, boring character for way too long. The show couldn't have gone to the trouble of bringing in a major Broadway actor just to play a character who would stay vanilla forever, could it?



Scott Holmes and Ellen Dolan

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Jane Pauley and Stone Phillips (pictured) are the co-anchors of "Dateline NBC." The NBC newsmagazine features reports from correspondents Brian Ross, Michele Gillen, Arthur Kent and Deborah Roberts, both from the United States and around the world. It premieres Tuesday, March 31.

IN FOCUS

"A Doll's House" still packs quite a wallop. In a first-rate "Masterpiece Theatre" production, Juliet Stevenson plays Nora, who is treated as an elaborate plaything by her husband, Torvald (Trevor Eve). The play works so well because of the carefully drawn set of circumstances in which playwright Henrik Ibsen exposes the charade the two have developed in place of a marriage. It airs Sunday, March 29, on PBS. (Check local listings.)



TELE-PUZZLE



ACROSS

- Grandmother
- John Philip —
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- Medicine
- Shown she's Christine
- Sullivan 2 wds
- Lexington Va campus
- Sups
- Alien of "Home Improvement"
- Carmichael and Ziering
- Vet's surface
- Carson's replacement
- With 31 Across, series for 12 Across

- Zodiac sign
- Hepburn ID
- an Old Cowhand
- Kelsey Grammer role
- See 23 Across
- Barbara or Alan
- Armed conflict
- Work out with Foreman
- Question
- "Call Me —"
- Character on 23 Across
- 2 wds
- "Nation"
- Vegas machine
- Electron tube
- Early auto maker

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- Nominating
- Mrs. Wood Newton
- Urke, e.g.
- Alan or Adam
- Make tea
- "Sorry!"
- Numero —
- Rudy, to Theo
- Playing a part
- Actress Bain
- Mr. Scully
- a cocktail
- Cow sound
- Alan Ladd classic
- VIPs wheezes?
- A: alternative
- Singer Damone
- Half a Latin dance
- She's Clair Huxtable
- Acid's opposite
- Beats the favorite

SOLUTION



IN FOCUS

Life has not exactly been a picnic lately for the Red Headed Stranger, what with his highly publicized problems with the IRS and all. But Willie Nelson is still doing what he loves to do: playing music. "Willie Nelson at the Swap Shop: A Live Album" airs on TNN Monday, March 30. Nelson opens, as he always does, with "Whiskey River" and keeps the fans hooting with "On the Road Again" and "Blue Eyes Crying in the Rain."



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Taxpayers Filing Quickly, Making Fewer Mistakes

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein said taxpayers are not only filing their state income tax earlier this year, they're making fewer mistakes filling out the forms.

The income tax division of the comptroller's office has received one million state returns so far. With the April 15th deadline less than one month away, the comptroller noted that the error rate on returns processed so far is approximately 6%, compared to the 9% error rate at this time last year.

"Clearly, taxpayers have been listening to our message: be careful, don't rush, read the instructions, double-check your return and call us if you have questions," Goldstein said.

One of the biggest areas of improvement concerns the dollar value of the personal exemptions taxpayers can correctly claim on their Maryland return. The comptroller said taxpayers have made 50% fewer mistakes in this area alone, compared to last year. "But despite that dramatic improvement, we have still found more than 2,300 returns with personal exemption errors. Taxpayers should be sure to complete the exemptions area on the top of their return very carefully, and write the correct dollar value for their personal exemptions on line 58 of their form," Goldstein said.

The comptroller also reminded married couples filing combined separate Maryland returns using Columns A and B to write the number of exemptions being claimed by each spouse at the top of the appropriate column.

Taxpayers who moved into Maryland last year must also



POSTER CONTEST WINNERS - Students at Loch Lynn Elementary School recently participated in the National School Breakfast Week Poster Contest. Shown in the photo at right is the grand prize winner, Kristin Shaffer. Kristin is a third grader at the school and is pictured with Faye Warnick, coordinator of the contest. In the photo above are other contest winners. Shown left to right are Jason Finch, fourth grade; Kristin Shaffer, third grade; Richard Buckingham, food service director for the Garrett County Board of Education; Sara Mattingly, fifth grade; Heather

prorate their exemption amounts according to the number of months they lived in Maryland. A free brochure showing part-year residents how to fill out their Maryland returns is available at any Maryland income tax office.

The comptroller noted that the most common error so far this year centers on the standard deduction, which is used by nearly 63% of Maryland taxpayers. "We've discovered nearly 9,500 returns with errors in the standard deduction calculation, which is about the same as last year's level," he said. "Please read instruction 16 and use the correct worksheet in your Maryland tax packet to determine the correct standard deduction for your filing situation."

Another frequent error made by taxpayers is filing a return and assessing themselves a tax even though their

income was less than the amount requiring them to file a tax return at all. "More than 5,200 returns have been filed by taxpayers who earned less than the amount required to file. Taxpayers should study the filing requirements listed in Instruction 1 of the state tax packet carefully," Goldstein said.

The comptroller noted that, for example, single taxpayers don't have to file a return unless their income was \$5,550 or more in 1991. "If you earned less than the amount requiring you to file - but state tax was withheld from your pay - you can file the easy Form 123 to claim your refund. Form 123 has just five lines and takes only minutes to complete," Goldstein said.

More and more taxpayers are successfully computing their tax, however, using the tax tables or a special schedule for incomes over \$100,000, the comptroller noted.

"We've seen a 36% drop in the number of mistakes in figuring their Maryland tax. We expanded the tax tables this year to allow taxpayers with taxable incomes of up to \$100,000 to use them to figure their tax," Goldstein said.

He added that the 2,074 returns with tax table errors emphasized the need for taxpayers to use the tables carefully when locating their correct tax amount among the columns of figures.

There is also a 32% drop in the number of errors committed in calculating Maryland's earned income credit, compared to last year's activity.

The comptroller noted that, even though the diminishing error rate on earned income credit returns was a good sign, 1,180 returns still showed errors in calculating the credit.

"If you qualify for a federal earned income credit, you can claim one-half of that amount as a Maryland earned income credit," Goldstein said. "Many filers are claiming the full federal credit in error."

The comptroller offered the following tips to taxpayers still working on their returns:

- * double-check all entries and calculations;
- * if you're claiming the standard deduction, use the correct worksheet for your filing status;
- * if you're itemizing deductions, remember to attach



Shultzberger, kindergarten; Crystal Gordon, fifth grade; Mrs. Warnick; Nicole Kitzmiller, fourth grade; Sara Know, first grade; and Billy Haary, second grade.

a copy of your federal Schedule A to your Maryland return;

- * use the address label that came with your state tax packet (the only time the label should not be used is if it's incorrect);
- * attach a check or money order for any state tax due;
- * sign the return (if someone else prepared it for you, have them sign also; it's for your protection).

Goldstein reminded taxpayers that the 18 state income tax offices will be offering extra hours of free tax help between now and the April 15th filing deadline. Taxpayers can call or visit any state income tax office on Saturday, April 4, and Saturday April 11, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. In addition, telephone assistance will be offered on Monday evenings, April 6 and April 13, and Tuesday evenings, April 14, from 5 until 7 p.m.

All of the state income tax offices will remain open on the filing deadline, Wednesday, April 15, from 8 a.m. until 7 p.m.

The addresses and telephone numbers of all 18 Maryland income tax offices are listed on the back of the state tax packet and in most local telephone directories. The statewide toll-free number for free state income tax assistance is 1-800-MD TAXES.

GOBA Meets; Topics Noted

Members of the Greater Oakland Business Association (GOBA) met on Tuesday, March 10, and discussed several topics.

A presentation concerning Charter Home Rule was given at the opening of the meeting by John Hinebaugh. "Scissors R Us" is the newest GOBA member, according to the minutes. The treasurer reported a balance of \$563.65.

Old business concerned the upcoming coupon booklet. Members were reminded that April 15 is the deadline for the book. Mastcraft will contact each business as it is time to proof the coupons.

Advertising for Adventure Sports was discussed as new business, and Judy Devlin moved that GOBA purchase an ad for \$200 with the stipulation that the GOBA banner be displayed at the Adventure Sport headquarters during the racing events.

The ad would read "The Greater Oakland Business Association Welcomes Adventure Sports," and would show a picture of the Oakland train station. The motion was seconded by Gary Shafer.

The continuing problem of the parking meters was discussed, and the topic was tabled until next month.

Bob Flinn introduced the calendar of events for group advertising. Approximate cost would be \$21 per month. Teasers will be placed one week prior to the event. The holidays and events included are Easter, Mother's Day, Memorial Day, Father's Day, Graduation, Fourth of July, Sidewalk Sale, Back to School, Autumn Glory, Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Fresh Air Christmas.

A Spring Festival was discussed, including Out-house Races. The festival would be a kick-off to summer and would be an annual event planned for Memorial

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WEPCO Planning Renovation Of Main Office

Franklin Woy, vice chairman of the board at WEPCO Federal Credit Union, has announced plans for the renovation of their main office in Bloomington. He made the announcement during their 42nd Annual Membership Meeting on Saturday, March 14.

Overton & Ogburn Associates, Inc., Bladensburg, is the general contractor, who will subcontract most work out to local contractors. Renovation of the main office in Bloomington was scheduled to begin March 23. The entire project is expected to span four to five months.

With the main office building being 15 years old, office space has become insufficient, Woy said. Proposed plans for the office include a new addition onto the building, an added drive-up lane, closer parking, more private loan offices, more efficient work space, and a large storage area. The current building is in need of a new roof and heating systems, which will be addressed.

"We would like to ask members to bear with us during the upcoming months. There will be some mess, dust, and dirt, but hopefully no interruption in business. Most construction will be performed in the evenings and weekends when our office is closed, so as not to affect office hours and business," Woy said.

Members interested in viewing the proposed plans

for the office are encouraged to stop by, Woy concluded.

WEPCO Holds Annual Meeting

WEPCO Federal Credit Union held its 42nd Annual Membership Meeting March 14 at the Westernport American Legion Victory Post #155. Approximately 180 members, officials and Credit Union staff gathered for the presentation of the annual report.

Master of ceremonies was vice chairman of the Board, Franklin B. Woy. Guest included Tom Gallagher of the Maryland Credit Union League, Harris LeFevre of Westvaco Corporation, Bill Hood of the Piedmont Herald, and Rev. Meredith Ball of the Piedmont United Methodist Church, who gave the invocation.

Woy presented the plans and announced that renovation of the main office will begin in a few weeks. He encouraged members to come up front after the meeting to view the proposed plans.

Howard Warnick, president, announced that at the end of February WEPCO was officially a \$40 million credit union. He also stated that credit cards would be avail-

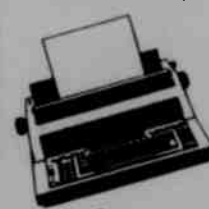
able to members sometime in May.

Lana Smith, vice president-public relations, encouraged members to complete surveys that were distributed. She also announced the upcoming car sale promotion with local dealers and encouraged members to look for the brochure in their next statement.

Vicki Winters, Oakland branch manager, thanked her staff and the management staff in Bloomington for all their help and work with her office. She also encouraged members who have not seen the branch office to stop by.

Door prizes were distributed with the big door prize, a Zenith 20" color television, going to James Glass. Other prize winners include: Marshall Stacy, Sue Fazenbaker, Bob Rizer, Ethel Schaeffer, Vicki Winters, John Martin, Frank Poland, John Schaeffer, Louise Nasser, Fred Imhoff, Don DeVore, Sandra Wilt, Mary Foley, Rev. Meredith Ball, Lois Brennenman, Amelia DiGiovanna, William Jackson, Ebb Spiker, Glen Shaffer, Lillian Smith, Richard Malcolm, Tony DiGiovanna, Sue Rainers, Earl Stafford, and Terry Berg.

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Jodi Wilt Named To Appalachian Crossroads Post

Appalachian Crossroads recently announced the appointment of Jodi Wilt as the coordinator of the agency's Individual and Family Support Services program. Miss Wilt fills the position previously held by Lyz Biser.

Ms. Biser assumed the duties of IFSS coordinator in 1985 when the Appalachian Parent Association merged with Garrett Crossroads. At that time, the program assisted three mentally retarded adults to live in their own apartments instead of more costly and somewhat restrictive group homes. Since then, another nine mentally retarded adults have been assisted in establishing their own apartments by staff who provide drop-in and on-call assistance in meeting the challenges of community living. Ms. Biser developed an Enrichment Program to offer social, recreational, and educational activities in the community on evenings and weekends. Ms. Biser's work in using community resources has been used as a model by other agencies in the state.

Miss Wilt has worked with Appalachian Crossroads on a part-time basis for the last three years while attending Fairmont State College. She was awarded a scholarship by the Garrett Organization for the handicapped which recognized her potential for a professional contribution to the quality of services to handicapped citizens of the county. Having graduated from Fairmont State College with honors, Miss Wilt holds a bachelor of arts degree in education.

Appalachian Crossroads is a private non-profit agency that provides services to mentally retarded/developmentally disabled adults. The agency's services include day habilitation, sheltered work, supported employment, residential, and individual and family support. For more information, persons may contact Jodi Wilt at 334-8449.



FAREWELL AND WELCOME - Appalachian Crossroads recently bid farewell to Lyz Biser (standing), an 11-year veteran of the agency, and welcomed aboard Jodi Wilt (seated) and the new Individual and Family Support Services coordinator.

Dog Obedience Course Scheduled

A Dog Obedience Kick-Off will be held Monday, April 6, 7:30 p.m. at the Cooperative Extension Office, 202 S. Third Street, Oakland. Any youth, 8-19 years of age, or adults interested may participate.

The objective of the program is to learn about the behavior and care of a dog and to teach the dog how to be a better family member through obedience training. A basic beginner's training lesson will be taught. Also, a graduate beginner's course (off-leash) will be taught for those who have completed the beginner's course. There is no fee for the program.

Seven one-half hours per week training sessions will be determined at the Kick-Off meeting that best suits interested participants' schedules. Participants should not bring their dogs to the Kick-Off. A video, pamphlets, and demonstration with a trained dog will be featured at this meeting to illustrate what is involved in the program.

There is no fee for the program; however, a six-foot leather or nylon lead and training collar will be re-

quired, along with proof of two vaccinations of rabies and DHPLP. It is recommended that dogs be wormed or worm checked. A friend or neighbor's dog may be used if by those who do not own one. Dogs must be six months of

age or older to participate.

For more information, persons may contact Ted Sprangel, Extension Agent, 334-1890, at the Garrett County Extension Office; Brenda Thorn, instructor, at 334-8506, or Tammy Eisen-trout, at 334-9160.

Promotion Board Directors Elected

The Deep Creek Lake-Garrett County Promotion Council has announced the results of the election of the Council Board of Directors for the coming membership year.

Those members comprising the Board are: Brenda Butscher, county commissioner (appointed); Judy Devlin, The Book Market (re-elected); Leonard J. Eiswert, Burnett, Eiswert, Jones, Conger & Green (appointed); George Evans, Garrett National Bank (re-elected); Jerry Geisler, Wisp Ski Area (vice-president); Dennis Grotfelty, Double G Ranch Boarding Stables; Bill Grant, First United National Bank & Trust (treasurer); Evelyn Heise, Will O' the Wisp; Dr. Stephen Herman, Garrett Community College (re-elected); Elaine McDonald, Silver Tree Restaurant (re-elected); Karen Reckner, Presentations; Randle Rodeheaver, Rodeheaver & Associates; Karen F. Spiker, A&A Realty/Better Homes & Gardens (president); Jerry Thayer, Garrettland Realty; Edwin Walthall, Alpine Village, Inc.; and Janna Naylor, A.D. Naylor & Company, alternate.

Diane Wolfe is the executive director of the Council.

Panel Concludes Maryland Needs More Engineers

An expert panel has concluded that engineering education in Maryland must be expanded to train new engineers and provide advanced courses for experienced engineers.

The Task Force on Engineering Education, in its report to the Maryland Higher Education Commission, also said that more must be done to recruit women and minorities for engineering careers.

"Maryland's economy is increasingly service-oriented, and service industries require engineers," said J. Henry Butta, the chairman of the task force. "To encourage growth in this sector, we must be able to produce new engineers and offer continuing education for engineers already in the work force."

Butta, who is also chairman of the Higher Education Commission, said that the ability to recruit new engineers and provide advanced training for experienced en-

gineers will affect the state's ability to attract and keep engineering-related industry in Maryland during the 1990s.

It will be insufficient to simply expand engineering programs, Butta said. Courses and advanced degree studies must be offered in areas outside the Baltimore-Washington corridor - Western and Southern Maryland and on the Eastern Shore.

The task force report, which follows eight months of study and public hearings, was presented to the Commission's education policy committee on Tuesday. Among the recommendations made by the task force:

- * The University of Maryland System should be asked to develop a plan for expanding master's level engineering programs available in Western Maryland, Southern Maryland, and the Washington metropolitan area.

- * The task force reiterated the statewide role of the University of Maryland at College Park in engineering and urged the campus to be proactive in fulfilling that

responsibility.

- * The University of Maryland Regents should consider creating a separate and independent school of engineering at the University of Maryland Baltimore County. This new school would develop programs not offered at College Park. UMBC would offer off-campus degree programs and continuing education master's programs in the Baltimore area.

- * Morgan State University should continue to develop applications-oriented master's and doctorate programs. Morgan should also offer off-campus programs in the Baltimore area.

- * All engineering schools should establish formal advisory ties with Maryland and national engineering corporations.

- * The Commission should support state bonding for construction of a multi-purpose regional facility near the U.S. Navy's Patuxent River facility so that institutions could

offer advance engineering programs to base employees.

- * The Commission and the Maryland State Board of Education should promote math and science instruction in schools, and explore the possibility of creating regional math/science/technology high schools.

- * The task force also recommended that the Commission explore the feasibility of contracting with independent institutions to provide engineering instruction when cost-effective or when no alternative existed for a particular region.

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Open House Set At Deep Creek Recreation Area

Deep Creek Lake Recreation Area will hold an open house in conjunction with the state-wide Take A Hike Day, April 5.

The entire park will be open and the park staff will lead guided hikes to the historic Brant Mine. They will be on hand to answer any questions about park opera-

tions and the equipment they use.

The open house will be from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. with guided hikes being held at 10, 12:30, and 3:30.

The staff invites all to take this opportunity to come out and visit the Deep Creek Lake Recreation Area. All activities will be held at the state park administration office.

For more information, persons may contact the Deep Creek Lake Recreation Area at 387-4111 or 387-5563.

To Be Featured Speaker At GOP Lincoln Day Dinner



Members of the Garrett County Republican Central Committee have announced that Alan Keyes, Republican candidate for the United States Senate, will be the featured guest speaker at the annual Garrett County Lincoln Day Dinner. This year's event will be held on Saturday, April 11, at 7 p.m., at the McHenry House, located at the Wisp Resort, McHenry. There will also be a social time prior to the dinner, beginning at 6:30 p.m.

Ambassador Keyes is no new arrival to the public policy arena where he has earned a reputation as a skilled analyst of international affairs, a dynamic spokesman for American national interests, and a national leader of black conservatives, according to a spokesperson. Having received his Ph.D. in government from Harvard University in 1979, he has since served in many capacities including advisor to the National Security Council, assistant ambassador to the United Nations, and assistant secretary of state during the Reagan Administration.

More recently, Keyes has served as president of the Citizens Against Government Waste, a conservative, grassroots taxpayers' movement, with 450,000 members, which lobbies against wasteful government policies and pork-barrel politics. As a candidate for the U.S. Senate, Ambassador Keyes hopes to spearhead a national movement to return government to the hands of the people and

to revive what he calls traditional values and institutions.

Tickets are available from all Garrett County Republican elected officials, Garrett County Republican district chairmen, and the following members of the Garrett County Republican Central Committee: Wayne Wilt, 334-9200; Bill Crawford, 387-6125; Rick Green, 334-9480; John Hinebaugh, 387-4933; Pat White, 334-4147; Ann Groves, 334-1332; and Sandy Shockey, 689-8204.

Local Employers For County Job Fair Sought

The first annual Garrett County Job Fair will be held at Garrett Community College Saturday, April 25, from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. The Deep Creek Lake Business Association is sponsoring this event in coordination with the GCC Job Placement Center. The Job Fair will provide an opportunity for local employers to recruit employees for summer or year-round jobs.

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An individual display table will be set up at the college for each interested employer. This display table will be staffed by the employer to provide details about job opportunities and application information. Employers may also display information about their business and conduct mini-interviews at the Job Fair.

The GCC Job Placement Center will invite local students and community members as well as students from West Virginia University, Frostburg State University, and Allegany Community College to attend the Job Fair. Employers who would like to participate should contact

Lynne Giotfelty at the GCC Job Placement Center at 387-6066, ext. 180 immediately.

Friends Of New Germany Convene

The Friends of New Germany, the park's volunteer organization, met March 18 with 11 members in attendance. Bill Martin, volunteer coordinator, conducted the meeting.

The Grantsville and Frostburg Boy Scouts will do

a spring clean-up on Saturday, April 4. The campground and day-use area will be spruced up for the spring opening.

An open house will be featured on Sunday, April 5, in conjunction with "Take-A-Hike Day." Park facilities, including the cabins, will be open for public inspection.

The next meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, March 31, 6:30 p.m., at the New Germany beach bathhouse. Anyone interested in volunteering is welcome to attend.

Thank You

Thanks so much to everyone who helped us through this time of sorrow. Thanks to those who furnished food, sent flowers, and gave donations to the Red House 4 H Club Fairview Church of the Brethren, and the Southern Rescue Squad. Has a special thanks to the 2nd floor staff of Garrett Memorial Hospital Stewart Funeral Home, and the two speakers at the funeral, Robert Custer and Reverend David Moon.

Many Thanks and God Bless You All
The John T. Evans Family

NOTICE TO DEER PARK RESIDENTS

A municipal election will be held on May 12, 1992 for the purpose of electing two councilmen to serve for a period of 4 years. Persons wishing to file for the above office must do so on or before the deadline of April 13, 5 p.m. with Mary DeBerry, Town Clerk between the hours of 12-5.

All residents who are eligible to vote and are not registered can do so from April 6th-10th, 10:30-5 p.m. with the town clerk, 334-2037.

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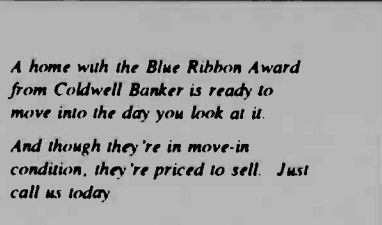
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SOUTHERN

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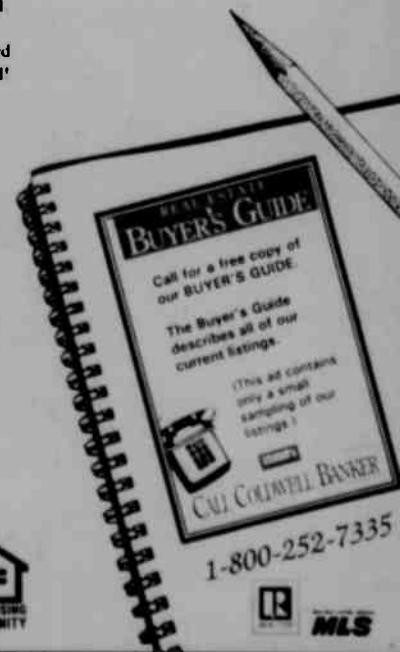
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Bush Encouraged Not To Backtrack On Fair Trade Promise

Farm Bureau last week urged President Bush not to back away from his earlier pledge to achieve a trade agreement that is fair to U.S. agriculture.

Bush was scheduled to meet with German Chancellor Helmut Kohl this past weekend, reportedly to discuss, among other things, a new European Community proposal to resolve the impasse in the agricultural trade negotiations.

News reports last week said that Kohl hoped to persuade Bush to make a key concession by accepting a freeze on future U.S. exports of cereal substitutes - corn gluten and manioc - at current levels. In turn, the EC would accept GATT Director-General Arthur Dunkel's proposal for 24 percent cuts in EC grain exports.

The EC has repeatedly called for permission to shift, or "rebalance," existing subsidies to crops that are now unsubsidized.

An agreement must provide for more open access for U.S. farm exports in foreign markets, American Farm Bureau Federation President Dean Kleckner said in a letter to Bush. "It must not legitimize pro-

grams that have been found to be inconsistent with GATT rules - such as the EC's oilseed subsidy system - or allow the creation of new import barriers such as the EC's rebalancing proposal for non-grain feed ingredients."

Kleckner reminded Bush that the rebalancing concept "is of deep concern" to U.S. farmers.

Rather than use traditional methods in GATT to withdraw a trade concession and erect a new trade barrier, the EC is hoping to use the Uruguay Round to accomplish the same thing, Kleckner said. "We object to the use of the multilateral trade negotiations to justify new trade barriers just as we believe the EC would object if the United States tried to use the Uruguay Round to limit wine imports."

Bush told Farm Bureau members at the AFBF annual meeting in Kansas City that his administration "will settle for nothing less than a GATT agreement that expands markets and increases (export) opportunities," Kleckner pointed out.

"The rebalancing proposal clearly fails that test," the farm leader said.



Farming In Maryland

Bernice Kepple, Farm Editor

FB Urges Risk-Benefit Balance In Pesticide Legislation

U.S. Trade Representative Carla Hills said last week that the U.S. "would never accept the EC rebalancing concept... even Mr. Dunkel has said he doesn't believe rebalancing is good trade policy," noting its absence from the Dunkel text.

The Dunkel text, currently the basis of the stalled agricultural talks, would cut all farm subsidies by 36 percent and cut grain export volumes by 24 percent.

Kleckner said Farm Bureau believes a GATT agreement must result in substantial reductions in export subsidies in both budgetary and quantity terms. "We would prefer deeper percentage cuts than those proposed by GATT Director Dunkel, or a longer implementation period to achieve the same result," he said.

Farm Bureau "hopes to be able to work with the administration and with other sectors of the economy to win congressional support for a GATT package that benefits us all," Kleckner said. "We will not be able to do that if the agreement backtracks any further from key U.S. objectives in the agricultural talks."

USDA Attempts To Stabilize Spring Dairy Prices

USDA announced several administrative measures to help stabilize dairy prices during the spring. They include suspension of resale of Commodity Credit Corporation cheese and non-fat dry milk so government inventory does not re-enter the market. USDA also will offer to make advance purchases of cheese for school lunch and other domestic feeding programs. Cheddar cheese is being added as an eligible export commodity under the dairy export incentive program and non-fat dry milk added to the list of commodities available for donation to eligible countries.

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Farmers want safe agricultural chemicals and to use them safely, Farm Bureau testified last week at a House Agriculture subcommittee hearing on the Pesticide Safety Improvement Act (H.R. 3742).

The hearing was one in a series being held on pesticide regulation by the House Agriculture Committee. Because the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide Act is up for reauthorization this year, it is seen as an instrument to carry amendments to change the federal pesticide law.

Due to election year politics and the "lose-lose situation" most members of Congress find themselves in when dealing with pesticide regulations, there probably won't be any legislation passed this year, according to John Dart, executive director of the American Farm Bureau Federation's Washington office.

Mark Maslyn, an AFBF assistant director of national affairs, told the subcommittee that farmers' and ranchers' livelihoods depend on consumer confidence and acceptance that their products are safe and nutritious.

Maslyn urged the subcommittee to establish a regulatory framework that strives to protect the public against unreasonable risks, not all risks. "Nature is not benign, nor is life risk-free," he said.

"Farm Bureau supports efforts to replace the Delaney Clause (of the Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act) with a negligible risk standard" and strongly favors the approach the committee has taken in calculating dietary exposure by using the "whole crop" approach, he testified.

The Delaney Clause is based on a "zero-risk" standard. A "negligible risk" standard would evaluate the benefit of a chemical compared to the amount of risk involved in using it.

The "whole crop" approach differs from the current method by balancing the risks and benefits of all pesticides being used on a particular crop, instead of focusing on risks and benefits of each pesticide for all of its uses.

Farm Bureau also supports efforts to accelerate the cancellation process, Maslyn said. "For the sake of public confidence in our regulatory process, it is clear that the time it takes to cancel pesticides determined to pose unreasonable risks should be shortened."

In addition, the health and economic benefits of safe agricultural chemical use should continue to be considered. "We don't want decisions to be made in a vacuum without considering all aspects of the situation," Maslyn said. "Society has benefitted tremendously from our production capabilities and from public policies that have carefully considered and balanced risk and benefits."

As a result of technological advances, Maslyn said, "this country has grown and our farmers have responded to the demands of consumers by producing high-quality and low-cost food."

Maslyn testified, "Agricultural chemicals are an

integral part of modern farming systems and are currently the best available and most practical technology for farmers and ranchers."

Animal Health Concerns Must Be Addressed

Animal health concerns must be properly addressed in a North American free trade agreement, according to Terry Beals, Texas state veterinarian and executive director of the Texas Animal Health Commission.

Speaking at a recent American Farm Bureau Federation-sponsored cattle/hog cycle forum, Beals said the most prominent diseases affecting the U.S., Canada and Mexico are bovine tuberculosis and brucellosis, both of which have human health aspects. Other problems are fever ticks, scabies, and other animal diseases.

he said.

"I believe these problems can be addressed on scientifically and technically appropriate levels," Beals said.

He suggested that information about a disease should be validated and if unnecessary restrictions exist, work should be done to remove them. In addition, he said, it is important to develop and employ a risk-assessment technique to produce a reliable numerical value for an average risk of a disease entering the U.S. and spreading.

Beals explained that there must be an established method of deciding what is an acceptable risk and the possible consequences of a disease or condition traversing an international boundary. This method should be determined and evaluated in light of the newest developments.

These steps could lead to a method for livestock movement across borders based on valid disease facts, and to reliable risk assessment of a disease entering the U.S. with the least possible impact on free trade, he said.

Communications must remain on a highly ethical and moral level, Beals concluded, and the process must be based on scientifically sound, verifiable information and data, uninfluenced by political considerations.

The cat-gut used to make strings for violins and tennis rackets has nothing to do with cats. The word comes from *kitt*, an old term for a small fiddle.

GRANTSVILLE LIVESTOCK Market report for March 21, 1992

Hogs: Top barrows and gilts, 38.00 to 40.60; heavy butcher, 37.50 to 39.00; light butcher, 35.00 to 38.00; butchers' wows, 30.50 to 36.00; feeder shoats, 10.00 to 38.00.

Veal: Good, 90.00 to 105.00; standard, 65.00 to 85.00; utility, 60.00 to down; bull calves, 1.10 to 1.55.

Sheep and lambs: Choice, 70.00 to 80.00; good, 50.00 to 65.00; slaughter ewes, 20.00 to 36.00. Goats, 16.00 to 60.00.

Slaughter cattle: Steers: Good, 70.00 to 73.50; standard, 65.00 to 68.00; utility,

60.00 to 62.00. Heifers: Good, 68.00 to 72.50; standard, 60.00 to 62.50; utility, 52.00 to 58.00.

Cows: Commercial, 45.00 to 53.00; utility, 42.00 to 44.00; canner and cutter, 40.00 to down.

Bulls: Commercial and good, 58.00 to 62.00; cutter and utility, 50.00 to 55.00.

Stock-Feeder Cattle: Good, 72.50 to 87.50; medium, 60.00 to 70.00.

Steer Calves: Good, 80.00 to 98.00; medium, 65.00 to 75.00.

Heifer Calves: Good, 70.00 to 90.00; medium, 55.00 to 65.00.

Eggs: Large, .40 to .50; medium, .35 to .45.

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FAMILY VEAL FARMING: A Portrait From The Heart Of America.



Editor's note: The American Veal Association, a non-profit organization of independent veal farmers and allied industries, has submitted this series of articles in an attempt to educate the American public about their product. The series will feature health benefits of veal, the industry's roots, how veal is raised, farm technology, ecology and product safety.

Our Roots:

Where The Veal Industry Began.

Veal is truly a meat for the 90s... nutritious, healthy and delicious. Served both at home and in restaurants, it is an excellent food choice for today's health conscious lifestyle. Despite the popularity and benefits associated with veal, the average person knows relatively little about veal and how it is produced. Most people today are surprised to find out just how new the veal industry is in America. Beginning in the mid-60's, its growth was directly attributed to a very familiar agricultural group... the dairy industry.

The veal industry evolved as insightful people began making good use of otherwise unneeded resources within the dairy industry. How did this all come about? It is a management practice of the dairy industry that a cow gives birth once each year in order to continue producing milk.

Approximately half of the calves born will quite naturally be male and of little or no value to the dairy farmer in his milk-producing business. Twenty-five years ago, a very small number of dairy bull calves were used by the dairy farmer. Some of the male calves were kept for breeding and some for beef production, but a large percentage of the bull calves were of no practical use to the dairy industry.

The milk product and cheese industries helped veal farming prosper. Surplus non-fat dried milk and whey, which are natural protein products, were readily available. These by-products of milk were ideal ingredients in formulating the veal calves' well-balanced diet. Thanks to the veal industry, many otherwise unused bull calves and milk and cheese by-products were put to good use, providing the consumer with a healthy food choice... Veal!

Today, the veal farm continues to be an important part of the American rural landscape. Consumers have discovered the delicious taste and tenderness of veal. Many fine restaurants showcase veal entrees on their menus. There is, however, much more to the veal story than an occasional tasty restaurant meal on that special night out. Americans are continually discovering the ease and pleasure of cooking veal in their homes and at backyard cookouts. Veal fits well into the pace of today's lifestyle, appealing to a vast cross section of taste preferences, all over the United States, every day of the year.

The vast majority of veal found in grocery stores and most fine restaurants in America is known as "special fed veal." It is flavorful and nutrient-dense, meaning that it supplies more of the recommended daily allowance of several vitamins and minerals than it contributes to caloric intake. Special fed veal is the lowest in fat of all red meats. It contains approximately 25 percent less fat and 35 percent less saturated fat than skinless, roasted chicken.

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Veal calves are given personalized attention by the hard-working members of the veal farm family. It is because of this care and dedication that families across America are able to enjoy such a tasty and nutritious meat product. In the following weeks readers will meet some of America's veal farmers and their families, discover what veal farming is all about and experience the pride they feel in raising a quality product for families all over the United States.

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Slaughter steers: Good to choice, 72.50 to 77.35;

medium to good, 65.00 to 71.50;

heavy choice over 1400 lbs., 67.00 to 72.50.

Holstein steers: Heavy, 59.00 to 63.50; light, 50.00 to 59.00.

Slaughter heifers: Good to choice, 68.00 to 73.00;

medium to good, 58.50 to 65.25.

Bulls: Heavy, 60.00 to 72.50; light, 55.00 to 64.00.

Cows: Very high dressing, 48.00 to 55.50; utility (Holstein), 46.00 to 53.00;

canners, 43.00 to 48.25; commercial to good, 42.00 to 47.00;

cull cows, 40.00 and down.

Veals: Good to choice, 85.00 to 106.00; medium to good, 68.00 to 84.00;

bob calves, 60.00 and down.

Holstein bull calves: Return to farm (90 to 120 lbs.), 125.00 to 150.00.

Holstein heifer calves: Return to farm (100 to 120 lbs.), 140.00 to 195.00.

Beef cross calves: Return to farm, up to 195.00.

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County Youth Attend 1992

M.I.C.E. Conference In Chevy Chase

The 15th Annual Maryland Institute of Cooperative Education (M.I.C.E.) Conference was held March 13, 14, and 15, at the National 4-H Center in Chevy Chase. There were in attendance 37 Maryland high school and college youth between the ages of 16 and 21 who were interested in learning more about how cooperatives function. Attending from Garrett County were Joyce Noel and Tammy Holler.

M.I.C.E. is an educational forum which utilizes a workshop and idea exchange format to educate youth about the way cooperatives do business. It provides an opportunity to educate agriculturally oriented youth on the values and the strong points of the cooperative way of doing business, while stressing leadership development throughout the conference. The program is sponsored by the Maryland Council of Farmer Cooperatives. The Council is an educational organization comprised of cooperatives throughout the state of Maryland.

Youth from 4-H Clubs, FFA and vocational agriculture classes, and those affiliated with cooperatives throughout the state are selected for the Conference by submitting an application. Youth are selected to attend the Conference on the basis of leadership,

achievement, and ambition as well as their interest in cooperatives, agriculture and agribusiness.

The weekend program began its busy schedule on Friday evening discussing the topic of "The History and Philosophy of Cooperatives" and started working on the M.I.C.E. Cooperative, Incorporated project. M.I.C.E. Cooperatives, Inc., is an exercise in which the scholars in attendance practice what they are learning. Each participant is a member of the M.I.C.E. Coop Board of Directors. The M.I.C.E. Board then proceeds to select its officers and hire a manager for the purposes of this exercise. Their goal is to obtain financing, purchase materials and manufacture a product for sale, and ultimately distribute earnings amongst the membership. Their product is a friendship bracelet or "widget," as it is popularly referred to, which is a woven item made from colored yarn that is popular among high school age youth.

Throughout the remainder of the weekend the youth had an opportunity to learn about the structure of cooperatives, financing of cooperatives, and the four different types of cooperatives including: marketing, service, credit, and purchasing. The scholars also heard from cooperative members



M.I.C.E. CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS - Joyce Noel, left, and Tammy Holler recently returned from the 15th Annual Maryland Institute of Cooperative Education (M.I.C.E.) Conference in Chevy Chase.

Ralph and Terrie Shank of Hagerstown who spoke about "What Our Cooperative Means to Us" and Richard and Karen Arrington, III, of Mt. Airy spoke on the topic "Leadership Is." Participants met in small groups at various times during the program to discuss several case studies, where they were called upon to recommend a solution to a specific situation in a cooperative organization.

A tour of the Manufacturing Division of Maryland and Virginia Milk Producers Cooperative Association, Inc., located in Laurel, was also included in the weekend. This manufacturing facility is a balancing plant for the mid-Atlantic milk marketing area where they produce butter, powder, and condensed milk for market. This tour afforded the students an opportunity to see first-hand a working cooperatively owned facility. There was also time for some fun and leisure activities including a pizza party and a night time tour of Washington, D.C.

A contingent of youth participating in the M.I.C.E. Conference will be selected by the Maryland Council to attend the National Institute of Cooperative Education (N.I.C.E.) which is sponsored by the National Council of Farmer Cooperatives. This conference will be held July 20-23 in Denver, Colo. Maryland Youth will be selected to attend N.I.C.E. as guest of the Maryland Council based on the M.I.C.E. application, including an essay and report of a visit to a cooperative; conference participation, noting leadership skills displayed and the quality of participation; and a short answer pre and post test given at the M.I.C.E. Conference to measure the level of knowledge gained during the conference.

Youth who would like more information on the annual M.I.C.E. Conference should contact their local extension service, cooperative, vocational agriculture instructor, a member of the Council Board, or the M.I.C.E. Planning Committee.

The 1992 M.I.C.E. Conference was planned by Robert Beiter, past executive

secretary, Maryland Council Farmer Cooperatives; Betty Bures, Maryland Cooperative Extension Service; Nancy Carlisle, manager, Southern States Mt. Airy Cooperative; Gregory Davis, district sales manager, Farm Credit Leasing Services Cooperation; Pete DeBaugh, field representative, Dairymen, Inc.; Jim Ferrant, executive secretary of Maryland FFA; and Allen O'Hara, Maryland and Virginia Milk Producers Cooperative Association, Inc.

Noel and Holler both said that they learned how cooperatives work, their management, and their benefit to members and the community. Noel is an eight-year 4-H member who is now a sophomore at Garrett Community College majoring in English. Holler is a six-year 4-H member. This was the second year she attended the M.I.C.E. Conference.

Proposal To Waive CDL Made By FHA

The Federal Highway Administration is proposing to authorize states to waive seasonal employees of farm-related service industries from commercial driver's license knowledge and skill testing requirements. A seasonal driver is a person employed in agriculture exclusively during certain seasons or periods of the year. Seasonal drivers would be issued restricted licenses only for farm-related work.

Child Labor Law Changes Proposed

Employers who knowingly violate child labor laws could face heavy penalties under S. 600, the Child Labor Amendments of 1992, recently approved by the Senate Labor Committee.

The bill's supporters claim that more than 100,000 children under 18 are injured every year in accidents where employer negligence is involved.

According to Libby Whitley, an American Farm Bureau Federation assistant national affairs director, the measure would prohibit the hiring of anyone 13 and under to work in agriculture, except members of the farmer's own family.

Farmers could be subject to fines up to \$10,000 per person for hiring school-age children to help during summers and after school in all types of agricultural employment, Whitley said. This includes many jobs currently performed by teens in many states, for example, corn detasseling in Iowa, strawberry and asparagus harvesting in Oregon and Washington, roadside stand operations in Massachusetts, and dairy operations in Minnesota and Wisconsin.

Hiring anyone under 18 who does not have a high school diploma would require farmers to obtain a state-issued certificate of



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Maryland Farmers To Participate In Voluntary Atrazine Management Plan

Maryland Secretary of Agriculture Robert L. Walker has announced that the Maryland Department of Agriculture is planning a voluntary "Best Management Practices" program for farmers using the herbicide atrazine. The program, to be introduced on a localized basis this spring and implemented on a statewide basis in the fall of 1992, is designed to reduce potential for atrazine to reach drinking water supplies and to reduce runoff into the Chesapeake Bay or its tributaries.

"Atrazine is the second most widely used pesticide in Maryland, being applied to control weeds mainly in corn and sorghum. Also, it is one of the pesticides most often found in water sources in Maryland," said Walker.

Atrazine Advisory Committee members include growers, pesticide dealers and applicators, extension specialists, pesticide manufacturers, and representatives from USDA Soil Conservation Service and Departments of Agriculture and Environment. The Committee will identify state-specific management practices tailored to Maryland conditions and will develop an implementation plan to encourage grower adoption.

of the management program.

An atrazine management program will use a variety of best management practices (BMP's), many of which will be effective for use with any type of pesticide. The BMP's will include information about cultural controls, proper handling and application of pesticide, use of crop rotations, selecting crops that compete with weeds, tillage practices, scouting for weeds, applicator certification, following label directions, chemical storage, mixing procedures, sprayer calibration, minimizing runoff, pesticide disposal or emergency management.

Educational and informational materials will be distributed to farmers, pesticide applicators and dealers as a part of a grower awareness program. Also, a rural well water survey will be conducted as growers will be offered test kits to sample

their well water and submit for analysis for the presence of atrazine. Results of well water and surface water tests will be used to help tailor the plan to Maryland.

Last year, the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) adopted several label changes proposed by atrazine manufacturers. EPA designated atrazine-containing products as "Restricted Use Pesticides" because of ground water concerns. Restricted use pesticides can be applied only by or under the direct supervision of a certified pesticide applicator. The label changes were made to reduce the amount of atrazine entering water sources.

"We believe that the EPA label changes, combined with a management plan specific to our particular conditions, will reduce potential for atrazine incursions into Maryland waters. This approach should reduce runoff and have a positive effect on water sources during the first year it is implemented," Walker said.

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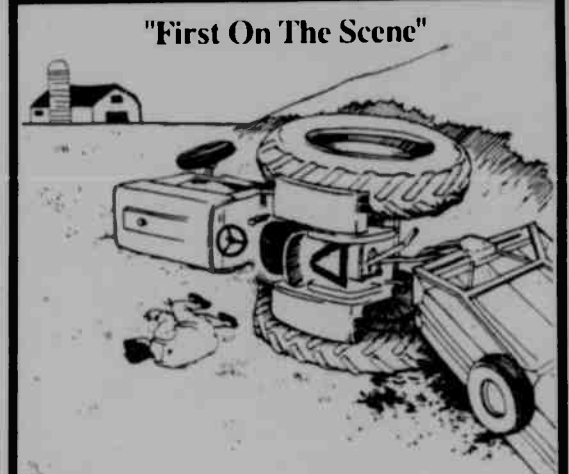
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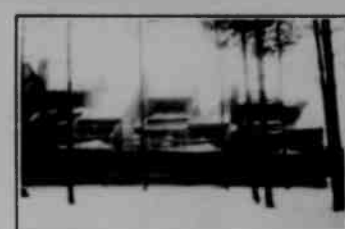
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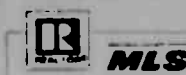
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Garrett County Cooperative Extension Service FARM-O-GRAM

Jim Simms, Extension Agent
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Western Maryland Cash Grain and Hay Prices
Cash Grain Prices: #2 Red Winter Wheat, \$3.70/bu; #2 Yellow Shelled Corn, \$3.03/bu; #3 Barley, \$2.10/bu; #1 White Oats, \$1.30/bu; #1 Yellow Soybeans, \$5.74/bu.
Soybean Oil Meal: York, PA (FOB) - 48 percent Soybean Meal, \$200.00/T; 44 percent Soybean Meal, \$188.00/T.
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Westminster, MD - Alfalfa, \$117-162/T; \$1.30-4.00/bale; Large Round Bales, \$115/T; \$31/bale; Mixed, \$65-137/T; \$0.75-3.35/bale; Large Round Bales, \$28/bale; Timothy, \$102-145/T; \$1.00-3.25/bale; Large Round Bales, \$29-41/bale; Grass, \$1.00-2.50/bale; Large Round Bales, \$11-22/bale; Clover, \$100/T; Straw, \$75-95/T; Oats, \$1.90-2.20/bu.
Frederick, MD - Alfalfa, Fancy, \$125-140/T; Alfalfa, Mixed fair to good, \$100-138/T; Large Round Bales, \$75-78/T; Timothy, fair, \$105-125/T; Straw, fair, \$61/T.
Westminster - Lambs and Sheep (\$100 wt.)
Lambs: Prime and Choice, 100-120 lbs., \$72.00-75.00; 80-95 lbs., 76.00-89.00; 60-80 lbs., 80.00-102.00; 40-60 lbs., 115.00-135.00; 25-40 lbs., 105.00-120.00. Choice, woolled, 90-115 lbs., \$65.00-69.00. Yearlings, 40.00-50.00. Sheep, 90-190 lbs., \$30.00-42.00; 200-350 lbs., 22.00-30.00.
Winchester, VA - Stocker-Feeder Cattle (\$100 wt.)
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Can You Reduce The Insecticide For Corn Rootworm Control?

During the last week I read a couple of articles suggesting that a reduced amount of insecticide would give control of corn rootworm. It may very well do so, but I do have a word of warning. Is your insecticide applicator on your planter putting on exactly what it is supposed to? One article indicated that you could reduce the insecticide as much as 25 percent. If you do reduce the amount, you had better make sure your applicator is precisely set. Secondly, I would advise you to only reduce the insecticide on fields that did not have a large population of the beetles last fall, plus I would only do it on a limited amount of acres to get a feel for how the reduced amount responds. I do believe we must keep trying to use less chemicals on our soils but we must do it a step at a time.

EPA Report Blames Water Quality On Farming

Agriculture takes its lumps in a just-released report on water quality. Most water quality problems, says the Environmental Protection Agency, come from "wet-weather runoff" from farming, grazing, construction, forestry and mining. More than half the river and lake pollution comes from agricultural runoff. Wetland losses are due mostly to residential and commercial land development, but the report also blames agriculture. James Mosley, assistant secretary

for Natural Resources and Environment, says farmers must become more aggressive in convincing Congress and the public they care for natural resources. More regulation is not always the answer, he says.

Do You Know What To Do In Case Of An Accident?

Farming is the most hazardous of all occupations. Very few farm family members have had training in responding correctly to accidents. I urge all farm family members to attend one of the two workshops we are offering on what you do if you're the first person on the scene of a farm accident. The first workshop will be held on Tuesday, March 31, at 7 p.m. at the Pleasant Valley Community Center, south of Oakland. A repeat of the workshop will be held on Tuesday, April 7, at 7 p.m. at the Bittinger fire hall. The knowledge

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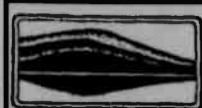
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5175 - LAKESHORE DRIVE - Well maintained "Deep Creek" cottage on level, beautiful 100' lake front lot w/class "A" dock. Lots of potential! A great value at \$195,000. Call Tommy.

3668 - DEEP CREEK DRIVE - 50' lakefront lot zoned Town Center. Qualifies for Class "A" DOCK \$114,500.

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5154 - PYSSELL ROAD - Level 1 ac. building lot close proximity to ski slopes and lake. Call Vicki or Frank for details \$19,900.

5077 - ROCK LODGE RD. - Cozy cottage on .25 ac. nestled on wooded lot w/stream overlooking Cherry Creek Cove. Lake access thru State property for hiking and fishing. Just minutes from ski area. Additional lot available \$79,900.

4256 - COUNTRY ESTATE - Family room, formal DR, native stone FP, 4 BR, 2 Ba., on 8.86 ac. native stone construction, full basement, and over-sized garage, "Silent Knight" security system. Located only a few miles from Deep Creek Lake & Wisp. Call Becki or Bob for an appointment. Price Reduced TO \$179,900.

4107 - MC HENRY - Cleared 1 ac. parcel close to lake with exceptional views of ski area. Perced and ready to build on \$18,500.

1325 - PENN POINT ROAD - 3.94 level acres of beautiful oak, maple and elder trees offer seclusion yet close proximity to lake activities. Ideal location for someone wanting to build a home in the woods with a private drive \$24,500.

FARMS/LOTS/ACREAGE

23 ACRES - With county road frontage on Mayhew Inn and Foster Roads. Great potential! Older farm house sits on property, spring water. Don't miss this! Call Becki Moreland for details. Only \$74,500.

5420 - JENNINGS - 35 wooded ac. offering great view. Just minutes from Rt. 495. Call Vicki Rush, 387-4079 for more information \$43,000.

4314 - TIMBERS ON THE YOUGH - Nicely wooded 4.82 ac lot with river frontage in well planned resort subdivision. Close to Oakland yet very private \$42,500.

5259 - OAKLAND/DEER PARK RD. - 26+ ac. of prime wooded land. Level property next to Broadford Lake, close proximity to Oakland, Mt. Lake Park and Deer Park. For more information, call Lonnie Rush 387-4079 \$90,000.

2452 - BETTS ESTATES - Wooded 2.88 ac. lot #10, located near Oakland and Deep Creek Lake. Reduced \$10,500.

2485 - BETTS ESTATES - On Foster Rd. 5 wooded building sites approved for well and septic. Lot sizes 1.5 to 8.7 ac. \$9,000 to \$20,000.

3000 - ROYAL CHARLOTTE SUBDIVISION - Royal Charlotte II Lot #30. Reduced to \$8,900.

2525 - BETTS ESTATES - Wooded 2+ ac. lots (788) ready to build on. Perced, surveyed and electric to each lot. Reduced \$12,000.

HOMES (SOUTHERN)

5486 - PENNINGTON STREET - This beautiful 2 1/2 story brick home offers excellent location and very economical heat. Large porch, hardwood floors and brick fireplace add to the appeal. Call Vicki Rush for showing \$75,000.



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3771 - DENNETT RD. - Location! Views! Spacious! 2-story home with 4 bedrooms on .75 wooded acre. Call Vicki Winters for additional details. PRICE REDUCED \$65,000.

5348 - PENSINGER BLVD. - Beautiful contemporary 3 BR home located in one of Oakland's most prestigious subdivisions. Recently renovated w/cherry cabinets and new carpet throughout, 2 stone fireplaces & inground pool. Call Vicki Rush or Jerry Thayer for showing \$149,500.

5304 - PAUGHVILLE - This 2 Bedroom home offers great location, family room with cut stone fireplace, sun porch and 2 full baths. Excellent retirement or starter home. Call Vicki Rush for more information \$35,000.

5286 - MITCHELL MANOR - Charming 3 BR contemporary home. Great for large family and entertaining. 1-car garage, storage building, new carpet and paint. Lease option/purchase available \$79,900.

4779 - WEST LIBERTY ST. - Oakland - Older 2-story home in Oakland, close to stores and downtown activities. Good starter home for a new family or for older couple. For more details, call Lonnie Rush at 387-4079 \$37,500.

5238 - BOILING SPRING RD. - Cozy 4 bedroom, 2 bath home, excellent condition, new carpet, cedar siding, woodburner hookup, new paint, great views and location, large one-car garage with lots of storage \$69,200.

4267 - SOUTHERN GARRETT COUNTY - 63 rolling acres planted with 12,000 white pine and scotch, 2-5 years old, improved with immaculately remodeled Cape Cod dwelling. Features include 3 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, game room w/ leather wrapped cherry wood bar, luxurious 20x40 in-ground heated pool w/slab patio surround. 2-car attached garage plus 24x36 workshop. Ideal for the handyman or do-it-yourselfer. Call for appointment, please \$225,000.

5236 - THIRD STREET - OAKLAND - Large brick home situated in convenient location within town limits. Gracious living room w/fireplace plus family w/additional fireplace. Four bedrooms, 2 1/2 baths, remodeled kitchen and new deck add to the enjoyment of this fine offering \$99,500.

5078 - OAKLAND - CENTER ST. - Income producing duplex apartment building, recently renovated with new gas furnaces, complete external painting, and interior upgrades. All utilities metered separately for efficient landlord management. Walking distance from downtown area. Currently leased, shown by appointment \$59,900.

4850 - GARRETT ROAD - A picture perfect view gives this 3 BR rancher w/basement great potential. The 1.91 acre partially wooded private lot has the beginnings of a beautifully landscaped homestead. For more details call Becki or Bob \$47,000.

2976 - OAKLAND SANG RUN ROAD - 4 BR cedar contemporary on 30+ ac. fronting scenic Yough River, 2 native stone FP, sun room with hot tub and privacy. Conveniently located close to Oakland and Deep Creek Lake \$195,000.

HOMES (NORTHWEST)

5459 - ACCIDENT - Great location, close to schools. Northern Garrett County. 3 bedroom, 2-car garage, full basement, nice views! Possible FmHA! Buy with no money down. Call Becki Moreland for details \$65,400.

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5472 - LOCH LYNN - Excellent corner lot w/two-story pole building. Low maintenance exterior and 6120 sq. ft. of space. Call Vicki Rush for appointment \$69,900.

3965 - ACCIDENT - Operating car wash/laundromat located in high traffic area on Rt. 219. Possibilities to expand w/apartments or other commercial activities \$99,900.

4692 - RT. 219 - Income producing property on high traffic Rt. 219 improved with brick and frame 2-story structure adaptable to a variety of uses. Shown by appointment \$225,000.

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5297 - ALDER STREET/OAKLAND - Investment property in Oakland. With some work this could be a great income property with the potential of 8+ units \$60,000.

5289 - DEEP CREEK DRIVE & SANG RUN RD. - Approx. 5.25 ac. corner of Deep Creek Drive & Sang Run Rd. Zoned town center. ERU's available. Present owner may consider joint venture with qualified buyer \$750,000.

5124 - DEEP CREEK DRIVE - One acre zoned Town Center with 3 ERU's \$110,000.

5123 - DEEP CREEK DRIVE - 41 acre with duplex situated on Town Center lot on Deep Creek Drive \$94,500.

4888 - RT. 219, THAYERVILLE - 3.24 acres zoned town center in the heart of the Deep Creek Lake resort market. Property is presently improved with operating convenience/liquor store, 12,000 sq. ft. mail, and potential restaurant/lounge building, 16 sewer taps available. First time offered at the price of \$960,000.

5289 - DEEP CREEK DRIVE - 5+ ac. zoned town center on high traffic corner location with over 600' of frontage on Deep Creek Drive, suitable for multi-development shopping center, offices or specialty shops. Congenial owner willing to work with developer to make something happen. Call today for price and further details.

4649 - NEAR OAKLAND - Thriving established fast food business conveniently located on heavily traveled state highway. Excellent opportunity. Qualified inquiries please \$300,000.

4747 - SOUTH THIRD ST. - Renovated 3-story apartment building containing six units presently rented under subsidy program. Maintenance free vinyl siding, new decking & convenient to down town makes this the ideal income producer \$125,000.

4487 - OLD RT. 38 - 2 1/2 ac. of private land with plenty of room for parking and/or recreation makes this 6-apartment plus 2 storage room building adaptable for any number of uses. apartment complex, school, nursing home, business, warehouse or a combination of any of these uses. No zoning. Owner financing is available \$125,000.

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5000 - LAKEFORD RD. - 5+ ac., 3 BR ranch home, detached garage, call Lisa Gaither for more details \$53,800.

OFF RT. 50 - Stemple Ridge, WV - ATTENTION! Hunters & recreational enthusiasts. Several large tracts of land ranging from 50 acres to 328 ac. tracts, some adjoining National Forest. Lying in the beautiful mountains of Wild & Wonderful West Virginia. For more information, please call Lisa Gaither.

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Spring Gardening Tips



Jim Simms, Extension Agent
Agriculture Science

Celebrate Spring By Planting A Tree

If you want to do something nice for yourself, your community and the environment this spring, try planting a tree. There's no better way to celebrate Maryland Arbor Day on April 1 or National Arbor Day, April 24.

In addition to their obvious aesthetic value, trees provide a variety of environmental contributions, says Raymond Bosmans, a horticulture specialist at the Home and Garden Information Center of the Cooperative Extension Service, Maryland Institute for Agriculture and Natural Resources. They:

- * use carbon dioxide and give off oxygen,
- * cool the environment by providing shade and releasing water vapor,
- * help stabilize the soil and reduce erosion,
- * decrease storm-water runoff,
- * reduce noise pollution,
- * help cut home heating and cooling costs,
- * remove pollutants from the air, and
- * attract and shelter various kinds of wildlife.

These qualities are what makes trees important in terms of environmental health on a global scale. Unfortunately, the world's

tropical forests are being damaged or destroyed at a rate of 40 million acres a year -- an area about the size of Tennessee. And for every new tree planted in the average American city, four die or are removed.

So efforts by individuals to help "reforest" their communities by planting and caring for trees properly are more important than ever, according to Bosmans.

He offers the following tips for successful planting of trees purchased at garden centers:

- * Prepare the site by loosening the soil in a wide area -- five times wider than the actual plant hole. Do not dig deeper than the root ball, or the tree could sink in the ground too deep as the soil settles.

* In heavy clay soils, plant the tree with the top of the root ball higher than the existing soil line. Grade the soil out gradually from the root ball to keep it secure and to prevent the root ball from drying out.

* Remove the wrapping cords and cut the burlap loose from the root ball. Most trees come with their roots in burlap. The cords used today on balled and burlapped roots are usually made of plastic, and the burlap is often treated to retard decay while in the nursery. If not removed or at least cut loose, both the cords and the treated burlap could interfere with the normal growth of the tree's trunk and roots. (Some trees come in plastic containers. When removing the tree from the container, inspect the roots and look for roots that spiral around the pot. If not spread out or cut, these roots can become girdling roots when the tree gets older.)

* Apply mulch to conserve moisture, moderate soil temperatures and reduce weeds around the tree.

* Do not stake the tree. Contrary to gardening books and popular practice, a properly planted tree does not require staking. In fact, research has shown that the natural movement of the trunk by the wind actually stimulates root growth and increases trunk caliber. However, in extremely windy locations and very soft soil, staking may help to keep the tree upright until its roots get established.

* Do not prune back the tree after planting. It was once thought that a tree's primary food reserve was in the roots and that pruning a tree after planting was important. Today, we know trees store a great deal of carbohydrates in their branches that are needed to help promote new root growth. Therefore, it is no longer considered necessary to "balance" top growth with root growth after planting.

* Do not add soil additives, such as compost or peat moss to the planting hole. When these materials are added directly into the planting hole in heavy soils, the planting hole frequently becomes waterlogged and roots die. (You may incorporate such additives into the soil when preparing a large planting area -- not individual holes -- for several trees and shrubs.)

* Fertilization of a newly planted tree is helpful. Use a fertilizer analysis low in nitrogen and high in phosphorus and potassium (i.e., 5-10-10). Ideally, your soil should be tested before planting so that the recommended fertilizer can be worked into the soil ahead of time.

* Apply mulch to conserve moisture, moderate soil temperatures and reduce weeds around the tree.

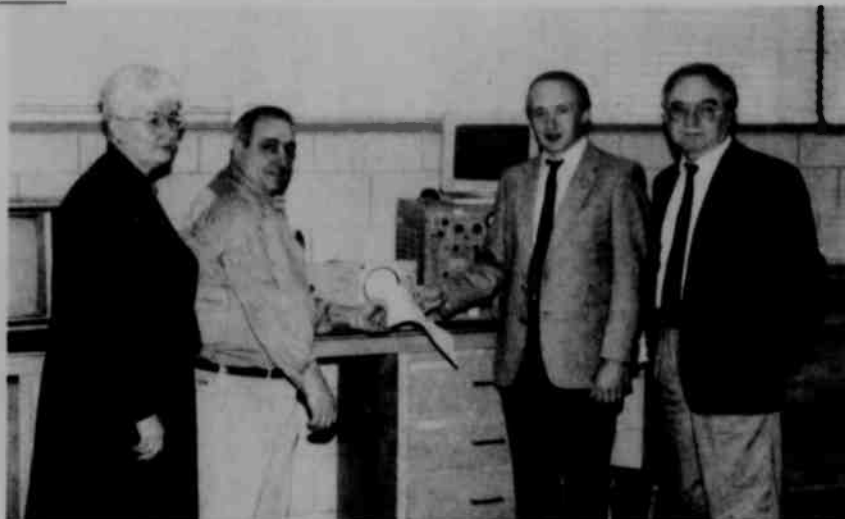
A two-inch layer of bark mulch is sufficient and should extend out to the drip line of the tree to maximize the benefit. Be careful not to pile mulch against the trunk because this can cause bark problems.

The decision whether to wrap a tree or not is a personal one, according to Bosmans. Trunk wrap is often used for the first season after planting to help reduce sun scald on the bark. Some arborists believe trunk wrapping is helpful, while others say it makes no difference.

Proper watering is not so subjective. Newly planted trees should be watered when the soil below the mulch and in the root ball feels dry. But be careful not to overdo it.

"Many people have inadvertently drowned their new trees by watering them too often," Bosmans explains.

To encourage the continued health and growth



PHENIX DONATES TO NHS VO-AG - Frank Vitez and Rudy Kramer, two founders of Phenix Technology of Accident, recently presented a donation to two vocational programs at Northern High School. A donation of electronic equipment was made to industrial electronics and agriculture production programs. Phenix Technology also has contributed plate steel to Southern High School's machine shop and agriculture production programs. The company has actively supported vocational education over the past several years, according to a spokesperson. Phenix Technology has participated in the ACES program, designed to help educators become familiar with local businesses. Vitez has served on the local Vocational Advisory Council for several years, and Kramer has assisted the VICA competition by serving as judge. J. Kenneth Blittinger, vocational supervisor, stated that assistance by business and industry, as well as by individuals, improves the quality of programs. In the photo above, left to right, are Mildred Wucik, NHS principal; Tony Talerico, NHS industrial electronics teacher; Vitez and Kramer. In the photo below, same order, are Vitez, Larry Deal, NHS agriculture teacher; Kramer and Wucik.



of your trees, he recommends monitoring them regularly for problems. Then, if remedial action is required, you will have time to take care of it.

If you have questions about tree selection, planting or care, call Extension Home and Garden Information Center at 1-800-342-2507. Specialists are available to answer your questions between 8 a.m. and 1 p.m., Monday through Friday. Pre-recorded information on a variety of horticultural subjects is available 24 hours a day.

Eddie Rush of Hobart, Ind., arrived Monday for a visit with her parents, the Selbys. Mr. and Mrs. William Livengood and Heidi, Hazelton, W. Va., visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cupp and Miss Janice Hileman, Friday evening.

Mrs. Thelma Humberson and her mother, Mrs. Gladys Frantz, were business callers in Oakland on Monday and had dinner at Oak-Mar Restaurant. Mrs. Frantz attended a bridal shower on Saturday afternoon for Rachel Frantz at Blooming Rose United Methodist Church dining room.

Glen D. Frazee, Frazee Ridge, observed his 83rd birthday on Wednesday, March 18, and received 55 cards from relatives and friends. Glen and Doris had dinner on Sunday, March 15, with his daughter, Glenna Ringer, and family, Clifton Mills, W. Va., for his birthday. Glen and Doris had dinner at Lone Star on Wednesday, March 18. Dale Hutzler and family, Oakland, took his grandfather, Glen, and wife to Lone Star Restaurant, Rt. 40, for dinner on March 21 in his honor. Doris Frazee entertained relatives and friends with a turkey dinner on Sunday in honor of her husband's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Friend and daughter, Sherry, visited Mrs. Ruth Umbel at Connelville, Pa., Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Friend were callers of Mrs. Marion Townsend, Brownsville, Pa., on Thursday. Mrs. Nancy Helbig, Oakland, was a Saturday afternoon caller at the Friend home.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Selby and Rebecca and Michael, Bruceton, W. Va., and Mrs. Jean Selby were visiting

noon. Mrs. Betty Selby and daughter, Mrs. Linda Hudnet, Baltimore, spent Saturday and Sunday at former's farm home at Good Hope and visited her mother, Mrs. Evelyn Friend, and sister, Mrs. Leota Stover.

SUNNYSIDE/ UNDERWOOD

On Sunday, March 15, Mrs. Marie Knotts had for guests her niece, Carolyn Thrasher, and her husband, Jerry, of Rawlings. Mrs. Knotts accompanied them to Grantsville where Roger Lee Masters and wife, Maggie, and son, Jacob, accompanied by his mother, Violet Pitman of Grantsville, W. Va., were joined by Harold and Janice Loughrie for a birthday dinner at Penn Alps, with Violet as the honored guest. Later in the day they visited Ernest Arnold in the Goodwill Mennonite Nursing Home in Grantsville.

Mrs. Ardeth Boling of Dennett Road Manor fell on Tuesday evening and fractured her hip. She was taken to Garrett Memorial Hospital, where she underwent surgery on Tuesday for a hip replacement. Her sister, Beanie Canan, remained with her on Tuesday and Mrs. Boling's son, Delmar, visited his mother on Wednesday.

Mrs. Knotts accompanied Myrtle Harvey and Anna Hartley one after-

noon, to be guests of Ruth and Bus Evans of Brookside. Other guests during the week included her son and daughter-in-law, Dave and Bobbi McElroy, for dinner on Sunday, and Roy and Hazel Ahorn and mother, Anna Hartley, on Saturday.

John Canan, of near Pittsburgh, arrived at the home of his mother, Mrs. Carol Craver, for her birthday and he will visit his father, Larry Canan, and grandmother, Beanie Canan, on Monday.

Other recent guests of Marie Knotts were Mary Miller, Dorothy Armstrong, Pearl Martin and daughter, Judy Umstot, Freda Brown, all local, Richard and Alice Dumire, Leadmine, W. Va., Wilma and Floyd Knapp, Amboy, W. Va., Gaylord and Selma Stratton, son and daughter, Daniel and Hanna, Mt. Lake Park.

A dinner for those of the community celebrating birthdays during the month of March was held Sunday at the Underwood Church for Roy Sanders, Naomi Ford, and Devin Guthrie.

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1978 Impala SW, V8, AT, AC, New Paint.....	\$1,500
1977 Caprice SW, V8, AT, AC.....	\$1,650

TRUCKS

1990 Chev S-10 Pickup, 4X4, V6, AT, AC, Sharp.....	\$9,875
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Lowermilk and daughter, Jennifer, Friendsville, spent Saturday evening in Wheeling, W.Va., to see the Tanya Tucker Show.

Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson and sons, Friendsville, and Mrs. Alfreda Friend were Thursday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Glass and Mrs. Sadie Friend, Accident, Md. Mr. and Mrs. William T. Robinson, LaVale, and Mrs. Alfreda Friend were Saturday supper guests of the Robinsons at Friendsville, then all attend the Garrett County Honor Band Concert at Oakland, where Joshua and Jeremy Robinson participated. The Northern middle and high schools and Southern middle and high schools participated Friday visitors of Mrs. Friend were Mrs. George Fint, Aurora, W.Va., and Mrs. Gary Carr and son, McHenry. Sunday dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carr and son, McHenry, and Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and sons, Friendsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bender and family and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bender and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Breneman, Accident. Keith and Tony Bender were Friday overnight guests of their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Breneman, while their sister, Miss Michelle Bender, was an overnight guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Breneman, Accident.

Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Long were Mrs. Roxanne Malcolm, Accident, and Mrs. Joyce Paugh and daughter, Melissa. Mr. and Mrs. Long and family were Friday supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Lear, Farmington, Pa., and were Saturday evening visitors of Mrs. Mary Nicklow, Markleton, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Yoder and sons were Sun-

day dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delmer Yoder, Accident.

Saturday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Glover were Mr. and Mrs. Donald Glover and Monique, Mt. Airy.

Mrs. Richard Travis, Oakland, was a Thursday evening visitor of her mother, Mrs. Betty Richter. Harvey Harman was a Tuesday visitor of Ralph Georg.

A visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hockman was a granddaughter, Miss Sherri Hockman.

Public Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Deep Creek Watershed Board of Zoning Appeals will conduct a public hearing on April 9, 1992 at 7:30 p.m. in the Planning Commission Meeting Room (Third Floor Courthouse, Oakland). The Board will review applications on the following docketed cases:

1) Docket VR-263, an application made by Mr. Charles Case for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance to allow an existing residence to remain at 13.5 feet from the side property line instead of the required 15 feet. This case was previously tabled by the Board and is now continued from a previous meeting of the Board. The property is located in the Blakeslee Subdivision (Zoned LR).

2) Docket SE-226, an application made by Mr. Wendell Betzel on behalf of the Garrett County Sanitary Commission for a Special Exception permit to allow the construction of a sewage holding tank facility on the District property located between Deep Creek Drive and U.S. 219 in McHenry. This case is being continued from the March 5, 1992 meeting of the Board (Zoned TC).

3) Docket SE-227, an application made by Mr. Wendell Betzel on behalf of The Boardwalk Tavern for a Special Exception permit to allow the construction of a 6 x 10 addition to the tavern located on Deep Creek Drive (Zoned TC).

4) Docket SE-228, an application made by Mr. William Murray on behalf of Razzberry's Tavern for a Special Exception permit to allow the expansion of

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the tavern by opening a portion of the adjoining commercial floor space into the Village Center Building located in The Fort Development along Deep Creek Drive in McHenry (Zoned TC).

5) Docket VR-293, an application made by Ms. Debi Niner on behalf of the Paradise Ridge Association for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance as it affects the rear yard set back requirement for a common use picnic pavilion for the Association. Specifically, Ms. Niner is requesting a Variance to allow the pavilion to extend within three feet of the Penelec line instead of the required 40 feet. The property is located off Paradise Pt. Road (Zoned LR).

6) Docket VR-294, an application made by Mr. and Mrs. Girard Grater for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance to allow an existing garage to remain at 12.57 feet from the front property line instead of the required 25 feet. The property is located on South Shore Drive on Harvey's Peninsula Road (Zoned LR).

7) Docket VR-295, an application made by Mr. James Friend on behalf of Westmar Builders, Inc. for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance to allow an existing residence to remain at 38.26 feet from the front and rear property lines instead of the required 40 feet. The property is located in the Crescent Shores Subdivision off the Ezra Savage Road (Zoned LR).

8) Docket VR-296, an application made by Mr. Michael Goodfellow on behalf of Monte Vista Development for a Variance from the terms of the Zoning Ordinance as it affects the definition of "streets" within the Monte Vista Subdivision. Specifically, Mr. Goodfellow is requesting a Variance from the definition of street to allow the establishment of two minor drives which would intersect with the primary subdivision road and provide vehicular access through 3 or more abutting lots. Mr. Goodfellow is seeking to designate and establish these vehicular access ways as private driveways rather than streets within the subdivision (Zoned LR).

John E. Nelson
Planning and Zoning Director
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
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Estate No. 7319

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Sylvia C. Lewis

Notice is given that Winona W. Lewis, Route 6, Box 1162, Oakland, MD 21550, was on March 5, 1992, appointed personal representative of the small estate of Sylvia C. Lewis, who died on January 13, 1992 with a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills within 30 days after the date of publication of this Notice.

All persons having claims against the decedent must serve their claims on the undersigned personal representative or file them with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Nine months from the date of the decedent's death, or
(2) Thirty days after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within thirty days from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. Any claim not served or filed within that time, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter.

Winona Lewis
Personal Representative
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Old Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550
Name of newspaper designated by personal representative:
The Republican
Date of publication:
March 26, 1992
-Adv 4-1t

Public Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE

Pursuant to Section 28-2(c) of the Oakland Town Charter, the Mayor and Town Council of Oakland is seeking interested parties to submit proposals for the purpose of Town Attorney. The effective date of the accepted proposal would be April 1, 1992, and would be good for a period of one year.

Interested parties may contact City Hall, 109 South Third Street, Oakland, Maryland, 21550, Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. These proposals must be submitted to Oakland Town Council by April 3, 1992 at 4:00 p.m. The Mayor and Town Council reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids.
MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL
OAKLAND, MARYLAND
-Adv 3-3t

NOTICE IS
HEREBY GIVEN

That the Board of County Commissioners for Garrett County, Maryland, will be in session for the transaction of all routine business that may properly come before the Board on the following Tuesdays:

April 7, 1992
April 14, 1992
April 21, 1992
April 28, 1992

All persons desiring to meet with the Board are urged to contact the Commissioners' office before the meeting day for an appointment.

By Order of the Board.
Robert J. Fousek,
County Clerk
-Adv 4-1t

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION FOR
SURFACE COAL MINING
PERFORMANCE BOND RELEASE
COMPANY: Patriot Mining Company, Inc.
True Test Copy
ADDRESS: Route 12, Box 245, Morgantown, WV 26505
TELEPHONE NO: (304) 296-1616

Has applied for the release of 47.3 acres of Performance Bond on Permit No. SM-86-406 located in Garrett County near Gorman, MD. Grid Co-ordinate N. 545,000 E. 148,000 for the amount of \$72,000 from a total bond of \$224,700. The application for release is based on the completion of Reclamation Phase I on the acres indicated above.

The acres were backfilled and planted in May 1987 through October 1989 for a pasture land use in compliance with the regulatory program and the approved mining and reclamation plan.

Written comments or objections or a request for an informal conference may be filed with the Bureau of Mines, 69 Hill Street, Frostburg, MD 21532, until April 25, 1992.
-Adv 1-4t

SMALL ESTATE

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE TO
UNKNOWN HEIRS
Estate No. 7325

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Edith C. Tichnell

Notice is given that Raymond S. Tichnell, Route 1, Box 238, Swanton, MD 21561, was on March 18, 1992, appointed personal representative of the small estate of Edith C. Tichnell, who died on March 16, 1992 with a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills within 30 days after the date of publication of this Notice.

All persons having claims against the decedent must serve their claims to the undersigned personal representative or file them with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Nine months from the date of the decedent's death, or
(2) Thirty days after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within thirty days from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. Any claim not served or filed within that time, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter.

Raymond S. Tichnell
Personal Representative
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Old Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550
Name of newspaper designated by personal representative:
The Republican
Date of publication:
March 26, 1992
-Adv 4-1t

Public Notices

STOVER & SHERBIN

3 South Second Street
Oakland, Maryland 21550
NOTICE OF
APPOINTMENT

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE TO
UNKNOWN HEIRS
Estate No. 7324

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Ruby M. Evans

Notice is given that W. Dwight Stover, 3 South Second Street, Oakland, MD 21550 was on March 17, 1992, appointed personal representative of the estate of Ruby M. Evans, who died on March 10, 1992, with a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills on or before the 17th day of September, 1992.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must present the claim to the undersigned personal representative or file it with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Nine months from the date of the decedent's death, or
(2) Two months after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditor a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter. Claim forms may be obtained from the Register of Wills.

W. Dwight Stover
Personal Representative
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Old Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550
Name of newspaper designated by personal representative:
The Republican
Date of Publication:
March 26, 1992
-Adv 4-3t

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION FOR
SURFACE COAL MINING
PERFORMANCE BOND RELEASE

DNR WRA-75
Company: Allegheny Mining Corporation
Address: P.O. Box 232, Mt. Storm, WV 26739
Telephone No. (304) 693-7621

Has applied for the release of 0.8 acres of Performance Bond on Permit No. SM-84-297 located in Garrett County near Bittinger, MD. Grid Co-ordinate N. 657,150 E. 164,250 for the amount of \$142,800. The application for release is based on the completion of Reclamation Phase III on the acres indicated above.

The acres were backfilled and planted in October, 1986 for a forestry land use in compliance with the regulatory program and the approved mining and reclamation plan.

Written comments or objections or a request for an informal conference may be filed with the Bureau of Mines, 69 Hill Street, Frostburg, MD 21532, until May 4, 1992.
-Adv 2-4t

IN THE DISTRICT
COURT OF
MARYLAND FOR
GARRETT COUNTY

CIVIL CASE
#12020000722-91
FIRST UNITED NATIONAL
BANK & TRUST
19 S. Second Street
P.O. Box 9
Oakland, MD 21550
Plaintiff,
Vs.
GEORGE M. STANYA
P.O. Box 261
McHenry, MD 21541
Defendant.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
FIRST: Notice is hereby given that a Complaint has been filed in the District Court of Maryland for Garrett County seeking monies unpaid by the defendant pursuant to a contract between plaintiff, First United National Bank & Trust, and defendant, George M. Stanya.

SECOND: The plaintiff seeks judgment.

THIRD: That the defendant shall be required to file a response to the complaint with the Clerk of the District Court of Maryland in Garrett County on or before the 27th day of May, 1992, and notice is further given that if the defendant shall fail to file a response to the complaint, that judgment may be entered against him by default and the relief prayed in the complaint may be granted.

Sue Hershman
Clerk of Court
Authority: 3-126(b) and
2-122(a), Maryland Rules
-Adv 4-3t

Public Notices

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Mayor and Council of Grantsville hereby gives notice that bids are being accepted for Garbage Collection within the town limits.

This consists of one pick-up per week, preferably Friday. Bids must be in by April 20, 1992 and will be opened at the Mayor and Council meeting on that date.

The Mayor and Town Council of Grantsville reserves the right to refuse any and all bids.
By Authority of
Mayor and Council,
Fred A. Holliday, Mayor
Gloria M. Martin, Clerk
-Adv 4-2t

STATE OF

MARYLAND
DEPARTMENT OF
TRANSPORTATION
STATE HIGHWAY
ADMINISTRATION
NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

SEALED BIDS for projects listed below will be received by the State Highway Administration (Secretary's Office) at its Office, 211 East Madison Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21202 until 12 noon on the date specified below for Bid Opening, at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read. The Maryland Department of Transportation (MDOT) hereby notifies all bidders that in regard to any contract entered into pursuant to this advertisement, minority business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this notice and will not be subjected to discrimination on the basis of race, color, sex or national origin in consideration for an award. Minority business enterprises are encouraged to respond to this solicitation.

On Federally assisted projects, the bidder's attention is called to the Standard Federal Equal Employment Opportunity Construction Contract Specifications (Executive Order 11248) which is a part of the contract proposal. All of these activities shall be done in accordance with Title VI of the 1964 Civil Rights Act as amended.

STATE FUNDED PROJECTS
This procurement is subject to the applicable provisions of Title 14, Subtitle 5 of the State Finance and Procurement Article, covering purchases from South Africa and Namibia. For any procurement over \$100,000, the successful bidder or offeror, at the time of the contract award, shall certify that (1) it is not doing business with or in South Africa and Namibia; or (2) in the conduct of its operation in South Africa and Namibia, it abides by certain principles regarding equal treatment for races, the hiring, training and improvement of equality of life for Blacks, Asians and other non-whites.

It is the goal of MDOT that minority business enterprises participate in all state contracts. Each contract will contain a specific participation goal.
County: Garrett
Contract No: 438-11-614-93
Bid Opening Date:
April 21, 1992
Description: Re-vegetation of median areas on I-68 damaged by winter maintenance activities upon Garrett County.
Cost of Plans: \$0.00
Project Classification: A
County: Garrett
Contract No: 477-11-614-93
Bid Opening Date:
April 21, 1992
Description: Repairs and replacement of traffic barriers on SHA maintained highways in Garrett County.
Cost of Plans: \$0.00
Project Classification: A
Minimum wage rates for each Project, if applicable, have been pre-determined by law and are set forth in the invitation for Bids. Bids must be made upon the blank proposal for which, with specifications and plans, will be furnished by the Administration upon application and cash payment noted.

NO REFUND FOR RETURN OF SPECIFICATIONS AND PLANS. Plans may be purchased from the Cashier's Office, 707 N. Calvert Street, Baltimore, Maryland 21202, (301-333-1305). When material is mailed an additional 10 percent will be charged for mailing and handling.

In accordance with Article 21 Section 3-504 of the Annotated Code of Maryland, no bid, performance or payment bonds are required for bids less than \$50,000.00. However, bids \$50,000.00 and above will not be considered unless accompanied by a Certified Check or Cashier's Check or a Treasurer's Check drawn upon a bank, or a Bid Bond payable to the State of Maryland, or Cash, or Trust Account, or pledge of United States backed Securities or State of Maryland Bonds. Special procedures for submitting cash are outlined in COMAR 21.06.07.

Bid Security shall equal at least five percent (5%) of the total amount bid. Also the successful bidder will be required to supply Payment and Performance Bonds for all Contracts in excess of \$50,000.00.

The Administration reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

Hal Kassoff
Administrator
E 8184
Date: March 17, 1992
-Adv 4-1t

Public Notices

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION FOR
SURFACE COAL MINING
PERFORMANCE BOND RELEASE
DNR WRA-75

Company: Allegheny Mining Corporation
Address: P.O. Box 232, Mt. Storm, WV 26739
Telephone No. (304) 693-7621

Has applied for the release of 10 acres of Performance Bond on Permit No. SM-82-383 located in Garrett County near Mt. Lake Park, MD. Grid Co-ordinate N. 570,950 E. 151,875 for the amount of \$3,000 from a total bond of \$20,700. The application for release is based on the completion of Reclamation Phase III on the acres indicated above.

The acres were backfilled and planted in July and October, 1986 for pasture and forestry land use in compliance with the regulatory program and the approved mining and reclamation plan.

Written comments or objections or a request for an informal conference may be filed with the Bureau of Mines, 69 Hill Street, Frostburg, MD 21532, until May 4, 1992.
-Adv 2-4t

PUBLIC NOTICE

APPLICATION FOR
SURFACE COAL MINING
PERFORMANCE BOND RELEASE
DNR WRA-75

Company: Allegheny Mining Corporation
Address: P.O. Box 232, Mt. Storm, WV 26739
Telephone No. (304) 693-7621

Has applied for the release of 20 acres of Performance Bond on Permit No. SM-84-277 located in Garrett County near McHenry, MD. Grid Co-ordinate N. 631,800 E. 163,600 for the amount of \$6,000 from a total bond of \$275,400. The application for release is based on the completion of Reclamation Phase III on the acres indicated above.

The acres were backfilled and planted in October, 1986 for a forestry land use in compliance with the regulatory program and the approved mining and reclamation plan.

Written comments or objections or a request for an informal conference may be filed with the Bureau of Mines, 69 Hill Street, Frostburg, MD 21532, until May 4, 1992.
-Adv 2-4t

DEBT NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts other than those contracted by myself as of March 12, 1992.

Scott Bittinger
310 Baltimore Ave.
Mt. Lake Park, MD 21550
-Adv 2-3t

W. Dwight Stover

3 South Second Street
Oakland, MD 21550

NOTICE OF

APPOINTMENT
NOTICE TO CREDITORS
NOTICE TO
UNKNOWN HEIRS
Estate No. 7326

TO ALL PERSONS INTERESTED IN THE ESTATE OF Elma A. Friend

Notice is given that Terry E. Spear, P.O. Box 157, Friendsville, MD 21531 and Gary Paul Spear, P.O. Box 234, Friendsville, MD 21531, were on March 19, 1992, appointed personal representatives of the estate of Elma A. Friend, who died on March 4, 1992, with a will.

Further information can be obtained by reviewing the estate file in the office of the Register of Wills or by contacting the personal representative or the attorney.

All persons having any objection to the appointment (or to the probate of the decedent's will) shall file their objections with the Register of Wills on or before the 19th day of September, 1992.

Any person having a claim against the decedent must present the claim to the undersigned personal representative or file it with the Register of Wills with a copy to the undersigned on or before the earlier of the following dates:

(1) Nine months from the date of the decedent's death, or
(2) Two months after the personal representative mails or otherwise delivers to the creditors a copy of this published notice or other written notice, notifying the creditor that the claim will be barred unless the creditor presents the claim within two months from the mailing or other delivery of the notice. A claim not presented or filed on or before that date, or any extension provided by law, is unenforceable thereafter. Claim forms may be obtained from the Register of Wills.

Terry E. Spear
Randy Paul Spear
Personal Representatives
True Test Copy
Joseph DiSimone
Register of Wills
Old Courthouse Room 103
313 E. Alder Street
Oakland, MD 21550
Name of newspaper designated by personal representative:
The Republican
Date of publication:
March 26, 1992
-Adv 4-3t

GARRETT COUNTY SANITARY COMMISSION
BLOOMINGTON RAW WATER INTAKE RELOCATION
INVITATION TO BID

Sealed bids marked "Bid for Bloomington Raw Water Intake Relocation" will be received by the Garrett County Sanitary Commission (hereinafter referred to as Owner), at 313 East Alder Street, Old Courthouse, Room 200, Oakland, Maryland 21550, until 2:00 p.m. on April 15, 1992, and then and there the bids will be publicly opened and read.

General Description of Work
Work to be performed under this contract includes, but is not limited to, the construction of approximately 4,800 L.F. of four-inch water line, tie-in to the existing main on the Savage River Road, and installation of a raw water pumping station with river intake, vertical turbine pumps, and controls.

Pre-Bid Conference
A pre-bid conference will be held on April 8, 1992, at 4:00 p.m. at the office of the Owner to answer any questions concerning the Contract Documents. All bidders are invited to attend.

Contract Documents
Contract Documents are available for inspection during regular working hours at the office of the Owner at 313 East Alder Street, Old Courthouse, Room 200, Oakland, Maryland 21550.

Contract Documents may be obtained at the office of the Owner upon written request and remittance of full payment of one hundred dollars (\$100.00) for each set with checks made payable to the Garrett County Sanitary District, Inc. Payment will not be refunded, said payment being retained by the Engineer to cover cost of printing, handling, and shipping. Requests for Contract Documents shall be submitted to the Owner.

All Bids must be made on the required Bid form. All blank spaces for Bid prices must be filled in, in ink or type-written, and the bid form must be fully completed and executed when submitted.

The Owner reserves the right to waive any informalities or minor defects, to reject any and all Bids. Any Bid may be withdrawn prior to the above scheduled time for the opening of Bids or authorized postponement thereof. Any Bid received after the time and date specified will not be considered. No Bidder may withdraw a Bid within 90 days after the actual date of the opening thereof. Should there be reasons why the Contract cannot be awarded within the specified period, the time may be extended by mutual agreement between the Owner and the Bidder.

Bidders must satisfy themselves of the scope of work by examination of the site and a review of the Contract Documents including Addenda. After Bids have been submitted, the Bidder shall not assert that there was a misunderstanding concerning the quantities of work or of the nature of the work to be done.

The Contract Documents contain the provisions required for the work included in the Project. Information obtained from an officer, agent or employee of the Owner or any other person shall not affect the risks or obligations assumed by the Contractor or relieve him from fulfilling any of the conditions of the Contract.

Bid Security
An acceptable Bid Bond, payable to the Owner, in the amount of five percent of the total bid must accompany each Bid. A certified check, in the amount of five percent of the total bid, drawn on a solvent bank chartered in the State of Maryland and payable to the Owner, may be substituted for the Bid Bond.

Attorneys-in-fact who sign Bid Bonds, Performance Bonds, Payment Bonds or Defective Materials Workmanship and Equipment Bonds must file with each Bond, a certified and effective dated copy of their power of attorney.

The Bid Bonds of all bidders except the bonds submitted within the three (3) lowest acceptable bids will be returned within a fifteen (15) day period following the time of opening of the bids. The Bid Bonds accompanying the three lowest acceptable bids will be returned after the Contract has been awarded to and executed by the successful bidder. Provided the Owner, for any reason whatsoever, determines that it is not in its best interest to award a Contract, the Contract award will not be made by the Owner and the Owner will not then be liable for any payments whatsoever to the Bidder. Extension of time beyond the ninety (90) day period of the award may be made only by mutual agreement between the Owner, the Bidder and Bidder's Surety.

The party to whom the Contract is awarded will be required to execute the Agreement and obtain the required Bonds within ten (10) calendar days from the date when Notice of Award is delivered to the Bidder. The Notice of Award will be accompanied by the necessary Agreement and Bond forms. In case of failure of the Bidder to execute the Agreement, the Owner may, at its option, consider the Bidder in default, in which case the Bid Bond accompanying the proposal shall become the property of the Owner.

The Owner within ten (10) days of receipt of acceptable Bonds and Agreement signed by the party to whom the Contract was awarded, will sign the Agreement and return to such party an executed duplicate of the Agreement. Should the Owner not execute the Agreement within such period, the Bidder may by

Written Notice, withdraw his signed Agreement. Such notice of withdrawal shall be effective upon receipt of notice by the Owner. A conditional or unperfected Bid will not be accepted.

Award will be made by the Owner to the lowest responsive and responsible bidder.

All applicable laws, ordinances, and the rules and regulations of all authorities having jurisdiction over the work shall apply to the Contract throughout.

Non-discrimination of Employment
BIDDERS ON THIS WORK WILL BE REQUIRED TO COMPLY WITH THE PRESIDENT'S EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 11246, THE REQUIREMENTS FOR BIDDERS AND CONTRACTORS UNDER THIS ORDER ARE EXPLAINED IN THE SPECIFICATIONS AND IN 41 CFR 60.4.

Public Notices

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Real Estate

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Farm Items

Recreational

MARYLAND DEPARTMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT

Hazardous & Solid Waste Management Administration
2500 Broening Highway
Baltimore, Maryland 21224
Notice of
Applications Received
The Hazardous and Solid Waste Management Administration (HSWMA) is presently reviewing the applications for State Discharge Permits listed below. Upon completion of these reviews, HSWMA will advertise its tentative decision on each application. Each tentative decision will appear in an area newspaper with a 30 day comment period.

Requests for information concerning applications being reviewed by HSWMA should be mailed to the Industrial Point Source Division at the above address. Telephone inquiries should be directed to (301) 631-3323.

Garrett County
92-DP-1675; Buffalo Coal Company, Inc., P.O. Box 282, Bayard, West Virginia 26707 (received February 3, 1992). Application is for renewal of permit to discharge approximately 1,000 gallons per day of storm water runoff to Sand Run. This is a former coal loading facility located on Wilson-Corinna Road, in Maryland, near Wilson, West Virginia.
-Adv. 4-1t

WILLIAMS & HUFFMAN, P.A.
8181 Professional Place
Suite 100
Landover, MD 20785
(301) 577-4155

TRUSTEES' SALE

Case No. F-2189
of Valuable, Improved Real Estate, located in Garrett County, Maryland, improved by the premises known as 601 E. Oak Street, Oakland, Maryland 21550.

By virtue of the power and authority contained in a Deed of Trust from Edward Joseph Livengood and Lona B. Livengood, to Gerald B. Rathbone and Sandra Kay Somers, Trustees, dated March 17, 1989, and recorded March 17, 1989 among the Land Records of the aforesaid County in Liber 528 at folio 166, and re-recorded May 10, 1989 in Liber 530, folio 543, and at the request of the party secured thereby, default having occurred in the terms and conditions thereof, the undersigned, as the present Trustees under the aforesaid Deed of Trust will sell at public auction in front of the Court House in Oakland, Maryland, on
TUESDAY, MARCH 31, 1992
12:00 p.m.

all the property in said Deed of Trust described as follows:

All that piece or parcel of land being known and designated as Lot No. 5 on the plat of Brant's Addition to the Town of Oakland, as recorded in Liber No. 2, folio 502, one of the Land Records of Garrett County, Maryland, and being more particularly described as follows: Beginning for the same at the intersection of Oak Street with Sixth Street and on the East side of said Sixth Street and running South 67 degrees East, 82 1/2 feet; South 23 degrees West, 132 feet; North 67 degrees West, 82 1/2 feet; North 23 degrees East, 132 feet to the beginning. Excepting all that parcel conveyed to the State Roads Commission of Maryland by Edward Joseph Livengood and Lona B. Livengood is/are the record owner(s) of the property.

Subject to covenants, restrictions, agreements, easements, rights-of-way and minimum building restriction lines of record.

The property is improved by dwelling.

TERMS OF SALE

A deposit of Four Thousand Seven Hundred Dollars (\$4,700.00) will be required at time of sale, such deposit to be in cash, certified check, cashier's check, or in such other form as the trustees may determine, in their sole discretion. The balance in cash, certified check, or cashier's check with interest at twelve percent (12%) per annum from the date of sale to the date of settlement payable within ten days after final ratification of sale. No deposit shall be required of the noteholder where the noteholder bids in the property at sale, and payment of the purchase price by the noteholder in such case shall be made by crediting the same against the foreclosure expenses and costs and the indebtedness secured by the Deed of Trust.

Adjustment of all taxes, water, public charges and special or regular assessments will be made as of the date of sale and thereafter be assumed by the purchaser. Title examination, conveying, state revenue stamps, state and county transfer taxes and all other costs incident to settlement are to be paid by the purchaser.

Compliance with terms of sale shall be made within ten days after final ratification of sale or deposit shall be forfeited and the property resold at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser.

Leonard J. Williams and
Byron L. Huffman
Substitute Trustees

-Adv. 2-3t

STATE DEPARTMENT OF ASSESSMENTS AND TAXATION

hereby gives notice that ARTICLES OF DISSOLUTION of Schoolhouse Software Service, Inc., were received for record on February 10, 1992 in accordance with the provisions of Sec. 3-407 of the Corporations and Associations Article of the Code. Paul B. Anderson
Corporate Administrator
-Adv. 52-4t

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Town of Oakland is requesting bids for the collection and removal of ashes, garbage, rubbish, refuse and waste materials, cans, bottles, waste paper, ordinary household refuse and trash (except brush and stone).

Successful bidders must provide evidence of \$1,000,000 general liability and \$1,000,000 combined single limit and commercial auto liability insurance with the Town of Oakland named as additional insured. Bidders must also provide proof of Workmen's Compensation Insurance.

Sealed bids must be received at Oakland City Hall, 109 South Third Street, Oakland, Maryland, 21550, by April 3, 1992 at 4:00 p.m. The Mayor and Town Council reserves the right to reject any and/or all bids. MAYOR AND TOWN COUNCIL
OAKLAND, MARYLAND
-Adv. 3-3t

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR GARRETT COUNTY, MARYLAND

NO. 2661 CIVIL
CARL A. HINEBAUGH, SR.,
CARL A. HINEBAUGH, JR.,
AND
DOUGLAS L. HINEBAUGH
Route 1, Box 7918
Oakland, Maryland 21550
Plaintiffs
Vs.
SCOTT HAMILTON
P.O. Drawer 640
Fort Myers, Florida 33902
AND

All other persons who have or claim to have any interest in all that lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Election District No. 14, Garrett County, Maryland, known and designated as Lot No. 47, Section 1, Block "A", on a Plat of Piney Mountain Corporation, recorded in Drawer "L", File 48 of the Plat Records of Garrett County, Maryland, containing 0.53 of an acre, more or less, and described in a deed from E. G. Hamilton to Scott Hamilton, dated June 21, 1984, and recorded in Liber No. 487, Folio 668&c. of the Land Records of Garrett County, Maryland.

Subject to certain restrictive covenants more fully set out in prior deeds.

Subject to a reservation of a right-of-way more fully set out in the above-mentioned deed.

Defendants

ORDER OF PUBLICATION
The object of this proceeding is to secure the foreclosure of all rights of redemption in the following property situated in Election District No. 14, Garrett County, Maryland, sold by the Collector of Taxes for Garrett County and the State of Maryland to the Plaintiffs in this proceeding on June 8, 1990, and for which a Certificate of Sale was issued to the Plaintiffs herein, said Certificate dated June 13, 1990, the property being described as follows:

All that lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in Election District No. 14, Garrett County, Maryland, known and designated as Lot No. 47, Section 1, Block "A", on a Plat of Piney Mountain Corporation, recorded in Drawer "L", File 48 of the Plat Records of Garrett County, Maryland, containing 0.53 of an acre, more or less, and described in a deed from E. G. Hamilton to Scott Hamilton, dated June 21, 1984, and recorded in Liber No. 487, Folio 668&c. of the Land Records of Garrett County, Maryland. Subject to certain restrictive covenants more fully set out in prior deeds. Subject to reservations of a right-of-way more fully set out in the above-mentioned deed.

The Complaint states, among other things, that the amounts for redemption have not been paid.

It is, therefore, this 11th day of March, 1992, by the Circuit Court for Garrett County, Maryland.

ORDERED, That notice be given by the insertion of a copy of this Order in some newspaper having a general circulation in Garrett County, Maryland, once a week for three successive weeks, warning all persons interested in the said property to be and appear in this Court by the 11th day of May, 1992, and redeem the property herein described and answer the Complaint, or thereafter a Final Judgment will be rendered foreclosing all rights of redemption in the property, and vesting in the Plaintiffs a title, free and clear of all encumbrances.

s/David K. Martin
Clerk
True Copy
Test: David K. Martin,
Clerk

-Adv. 3-3t

ATTENTION YOUNGHOUGHENY MT. RESORT LOT OWNERS

The developer, Piney Mountain Corporation (Piney Mt.), is in receivership. All land and other assets of Piney Mt. are being liquidated with the net proceeds and/or remaining land after debts and costs going to the Homeowners' Association. If you wish to make a claim for an exchange against Piney Mt. due to ownership of one lot that is not buildable, you must submit your claim to Craig Ingram, 322 Alder Street, Oakland, MD 21550 within thirty (30) days. Claims not received by March 31, 1992 will not be honored.

If you do not know whether or not your lot is buildable, your claim will be accepted until October 31, 1992, if you have made application for a lot evaluation on or before March 31, 1992.

For additional information contact Craig Ingram, (301) 334-3724, 322 Alder Street, Oakland, MD 21550 or the Health Department, Environmental Health Services, (301) 334-8980. Courthouse, Room 104, 313 East Alder Street, Oakland, MD 21550.

Craig Ingram,
Successor Receiver
-Adv. 1-3t

PUBLIC NOTICE APPLICATION FOR SURFACE COAL MINING PERFORMANCE BOND RELEASE

Company: Westvaco Resources, Inc.
Address: 300 Pratt Street, Luke, Maryland 21562
Telephone No. (301) 359-3003

Has applied for the release of 5.0 acres of Performance Bond on Permit No. SM-33-392 located in Garrett County near Kitzmiller, MD. Grid Co-ordinate N. 588,900 E. 192,410 for the amount of \$3,000 from a total bond of \$3,000. The application for release is based on the completion of Reclamation Phase III on the acres indicated above.

The acres were backfilled and planted in June, 1987 for a pasture land use in compliance with the regulatory program and the approved mining and reclamation plan.

Written comments or objections or a request for an informal conference may be filed with the Bureau of Mines, 69 Hill Street, Frostburg, MD 21532, until May 9, 1992.
-Adv. 3-4t

DEBT NOTICE

I will not be responsible for any debts or other matters contracted by myself as of March 19, 1992.

Gerald L. Durst
Star Route Box 126-B
Grantsville, MD 21536
-Adv. 3-3t*

NO. 2621 CIVIL ACTION

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
FOR GARRETT COUNTY,
MARYLAND
W. Dwight Stover, Assignee
For the Purpose of
Foreclosure
Plaintiff
vs.
Leonard A. Walker
and
Patricia A. Walker,
now Patricia A.
Gindlesberger
Defendants
NOTICE

ORDERED, by the Circuit Court for Garrett County, Maryland, this 17th day of March, 1992, that the mortgage foreclosure sale of the property mentioned in these proceedings, made and reported by W. Dwight Stover, Assignee, be RATIFIED AND CONFIRMED, unless cause to the contrary thereof be shown on or before the 17th day of April, 1992. Provided, a copy of this order be inserted in some daily newspaper printed in Garrett County, Maryland, once in each of three successive weeks, before the 3rd day of April, 1992.

The Report states the amount of mortgage sale to be Twenty-two thousand dollars. (\$22,000.00).

s/David K. Martin, Clerk
True Copy
Test: David K. Martin, Clerk
-Adv. 3-3t

PUBLIC NOTICE

A public hearing will be held by the Garrett County Sanitary District on April 22, 1992 at 7:30 p.m. at the Deer Park Community Building to provide an opportunity for public comment on the Deer Park Amendment to the Upper Youghiogheny Area Sewerage Facilities Plan.

The Amendment is available for review at the Sanitary District's office located at the Courthouse in Room 200, Oakland, Maryland. Persons interested in reviewing the amendment prior to the public hearing may do so during normal working hours of 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday except for holidays. A copy of the Amendment has been placed in the community at the residence of Mayor Jack Hinebaugh, Speicher Street, Deer Park, Maryland.

For those persons who may wish to comment but are unable to attend the hearing, the official record will be held open for ten (10) days following the public hearing to accept written comments.

Any person wishing additional information regarding the Deer Park Amendment to the Upper Youghiogheny Area Sewerage Facilities Plan or the public hearing should contact:

Wendell R. Beltz
Garrett County Sanitary District, Inc.
313 East Alder Street
Old Courthouse, Room 200
Oakland, Maryland 21550
(301) 334-1980
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FOR SALE - Accident area 2 acre lot. Great view. \$12,000. Owner financing. 387-5601. 52-13t

FOR SALE - 27 acre farm; Accident area. House, barns, springs, large pond. Owner financing. \$149,500.00. 387-5601. 52-13t

FOR SALE - 4 miles off Rt. 68 from exit 24, 3 BR stone rancher, appraised at \$149,700. Make an offer. Call 301-689-2206 52-8t

FOR SALE - 8 room house Rt. 90 in Gorman, W.Va. Full basement on 2 lots. Call 304-693-7119 after 4 p.m. 49-13t

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FOR SALE - 1971 Merrow horse trailer, 2 horse bumper pull with dressing room. Asking \$2,000 or best offer. Call 746-8671 3-2t*

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HELP WANTED — 23 year old male needs roommate to share two BR mobile home in Accident. Must be willing to pay \$200/month (half of rent, utilities are included), also share housework. No drug users or drinkers. Write to P.O. Box 28, Accident, MD 21520 4-2t

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FOR SALE — Blue plaid couch and chair. \$100. 301-334-2550 call evenings 4-2t

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CHARMING VICTORIAN - D24011 - 2-story, lovely older home w/spacious rooms in quiet neighborhood. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths with hot water heat. Walk up attic could be finished for studio. Bay window in living room, beamed ceiling in dining room, large country kitchen. Must see! \$92,500.

SANDY DAM PRESTIGE HOMESITE - D01225 - Ten-acre homesite with 354 ft. frontage on buffer strip. Private drive off Stockbridge Rd. \$299,000.

VALUABLE COMMERCIAL BUILDING - D24010 - In Oakland on Third Street, real estate only with full occupancy of 2 retail shops and 4 apartments. Excellent cash flow for smart investor. Call for further details \$99,500.

RED RUN/FOSTER RD. - D21017 - Building lot 1± ac. open field, ready to go. Possible FmHA site. Close to lake area and convenient to Oakland \$7,000.

4 NORTH THIRD STREET - D24007 - This is a great opportunity for a family wanting to live in town or a professional person wanting an office in the heart of town. Located across from Sheetz in Oakland, this immaculate home has all the charm. Natural wood-work, garage, basement. Great buy! \$79,500.

TWO FOR THE PRICE OF ONE - B21006 - Reduce your payments and still have free reign of your free time with this lake access duplex. Includes dock rights and a cozy fireplace to relax in front of \$119,000.

2 WONDERFULLY SECLUDED CUL-DE-SAC LOTS - B21013 & 14 - One with 7.40 ac. and the other with 4 ac. more or less. They offer lake access and a splendid private setting \$33,000 each.

SOUTHERN PINES - B24005 - 2-story home on Spruce Circle. 4 BR, 2 1/2 Ba., bright, spacious rooms, cherry kitchen cabinets and cooking island 1,600+ sq. ft. finished living space and full, walk-out basement. 2-car attached garage. Covered porch & 12x36 deck \$145,000.

LOG CABIN IN THE COUNTRY - B28002 - 1 1/2 story log cabin on 1.66± ac. waiting for your personal finishing touch. You pick the colors, 2 BR, 1 Ba., cathedral ceiling w/fireplace \$45,000.

PRIME LOCATION ACREAGE - B24004 - Outstanding 654 ft. frontage along highly traveled Rt. 219 South of Oakland. 8.92± ac. \$125,000.

LAUREL RIDGE - B21009 - Level, wooded, private lot at roads end, 68± ac. w/septic in place \$10,900.

COMMERCIAL LAKEFRONT - B91023 - Excellent location for business! Rt. 219 and lakefront, dock slip \$129,000.

SKY VALLEY - B11474 & D11419 - Two 1.2± building sites w/underground utilities at street. Sky Valley amenities \$45,000 each.

BUY ONE GET ONE FREE! - C26000 - Nice 3BR cedar rancher in the country close to Rt. 68. Detached apartment makes this a great buy for a second income \$125,000.

LAKEFRONT

Deep Creek Village

DEEP CREEK VILLAGE - The BEST location on Deep Creek Lake for winter and summer. New building and floor plan now under construction. From \$119,900.

LAKEFRONT FOR UNDER 100K! - D11652 - This lovely mobile home shares 150 LF in "mobil minimum" cathedral ceiling, 1 1/2 Ba., 3 BR, new decking, shed, picnic pavilion. A great start place at Deep Creek Lake \$75,000.

CARMEL COVE - D11640 - New construction, move right on into your brand new modified chalet offering the features you expect and deserve. The quiet setting offers an ideal escape to the everyday trials and tribulations. 3 BR, 2 Ba. FP \$280,000.

THE WILLOWS - D11636 - Lakefront with great views of lake and Wisp ski slopes. Convenient open living plan with 3 BR, 2 1/2 Ba. FP accented w/marble. Cathedral ceiling w/balcony and oak railing. All kitchen appliances. Air conditioned. Private boat slip \$192,500.

MARSH HILL ROAD - D11302 - This is the opportunity of the year. Basic block cottage on a prime 60 lakefront lot within walking distance to the ski lift. Home just needs some TLC and imagination and you could make the deal of the year. Call for additional details \$130,000.

WHITE OAK DR. BECKMANS PEN. - D11373 - Cozy little bungalow on a very nice corner lot with 26 of its own lakefront and dock. Knotty pine paneling, great view of the lake. 2 BR and 2 Ba. Two car garage with lots of storage area for all the toys. Priced below market. Call for details Reduced to \$139,000.

STATE PARK RD. - D911483 - Words will never describe the feeling you will experience when taking in the view from this neatly maintained lakefront cottage \$260,000.

RED RUN CONDOMINIUM - D01141 - This Red Run Condo unit has everything you need to enjoy Deep Creek Lake to the fullest extent. Great view of the lake, 3 BR, 2 Ba., fieldstone fireplace. Tennis courts, pool, and individual dock. Beautiful grounds, exteriors updated. Call now!! \$145,700.

The Willows

WILLOWS - Townhomes that are the forefront of luxury! Completely decorated and available with your own boat slip. Located with views of the LAKE and WISP SKI AREA.

PRICE REDUCED! - D11373 - Lakefront bungalow with loads of charm and 26 of lakefront w/dock. 2 BR, 2 Ba., real cozy, knotty pine paneling, 2 car garage on corner lot w/view of lake. Reduced to \$139,000.

HICKORY RIDGE

Lakeside homesites located just off Turkey Neck Road and near to the Yacht Club. Features panoramic views, a quiet cove, and a conservancy area. Each site shall have one power boat slip and one mooring per site. Homesites range from 1-2 acres. Underground utilities, plus owner financing! From \$92,500.

LAKEFRONT TOWNHOME - D00LG - With air-conditioning, 1750 sq. ft. 3 BR, 3 Ba. w/excellent slope views. A stone s throw from the water \$169,900.

NEW LISTING - D11435 - 100 LF on Green Glade with "A" dock. Pavilion & 2 boats convey. Owner financing \$79,900.

ROCK LODGE ROAD - D01207 - Lovely wooded lot with 100 frontage in Cherry Creek. Sewer tap included. Ideal waterfront spot for year round living \$109,000.

THE BLAKESLEE - D91102 - Level wooded lot with privacy. Blakeslee amenities too! \$175,000.

THE NORTH SHORE - D61997 - a 3+ acre level wooded site with privacy & Blakeslee amenities \$155,000.

VINTAGE CHESTNUT LOG COTTAGE - D911383 - 1930's charm beautifully up-dated with new kitchen & baths to blend with original construction. Immaculate condition hardwood floors. Native stone FP. 3 BR, 2 Ba. 150 lot landscaped with rhododendron, ivy & stone patio & walkways \$262,500.

PARADISE HEIGHTS - D01112 - Wonderful lakefront lot with gentle slope to water! Beautiful hardwood trees and prime frontage \$135,000.

LAKE ACCESS

Monte Vista

CHECK OUT MONTE VISTA - D11308 - 1982 has a lot of activity. Only a few lots remaining at \$65,000+ and a limited special for spring available. Cream of the crop lots (H Lots on Top). 8 available with 3 SOLD listed at \$98,900. FIRST OFFER ONLY list at \$89,900. Lot G fronting Rock Lodge \$69,900. Call for details.

PARADISE RIDGE - D11642 - Contemporary 3 BR cedar home has great view of Hoopoe Cove and surrounding hills. Large deck, full, walkout basement, open living plan, panoramic view from living dining area \$145,900.

CHERRY CREEK COVE - D11639 - Remodeled 2 BR cottage on a restful, wooded 1± ac. setting. Living room and kitchen open onto covered porches w/skylights. Lake access across road. Bordered to the east by State Forest 10 minutes to WISP! \$83,000.

LAKE ACCESS VALUE - D01007 - Level lot w/lake access and dock slip for 33% less than the market. Don't be fooled by the price. It really is a beautiful lot \$39,900.

BLAKESLEE - D01009 - Unique contemporary design w/2-car attached garage and located very close to lake access area. Completely furnished and ready to enjoy! \$248,000.

WATERSIDE AT WISP - D11394 - Your choice of 6 ideally located lake access lots within 2 miles of Wisp. Every lot offers views, a dock slip, sewer and water tap. Priced for quick close out sale at well below market prices! \$54,900 ea.

MAYBERRY-POLAND SUBDIVISION - D01270 - Contemporary cedar lake access home only a short walk to the access and dock. This 3 BR and 2 1/2 Ba. home features over 2000 of living area and a wonderful view of the lake. Plenty of glass and decking to enjoy the peaceful setting. Call for details \$199,500.

DON'T PASS THIS UP - D01192 - Want to see a truly wonderful vacation home w/stonework and glass features that make a statement? Then stop by the Monte Vista sales center on Rock Lodge Rd. and we will take you through this new construction. Price adjusted to \$229,000.

SKY VALLEY - D911482 - 2.4 ac. wooded lot with great views, enjoy all the amenities of Sky Valley \$45,000.

LAKE SHORE DRIVE - D11466 - A home only 2 miles from 219S and 10 minutes from Oakland with a wonderful value to take care of all your wants and needs! 5 BR, LR and L-shaped recreation room, 2 car garage, paved drive, whirlpool and dock slip! It's all here \$269,900.

NEW LISTING! - D11434 - 1.44 wooded acres with lake access on Green Glade Rd. Owner financing to qualified buyer \$29,900.

TURKEY NECK - D81287 - Lovely wooded lake access site in quality community with tennis court \$64,900.

PENN OAKS! - D81201 - A beautiful 3 acre wooded lot, an ideal location with much privacy. Dock included \$95,000.

THE BLAKESLEE - D911357 - Recently completed custom home in the area's most respected location. The layout is ideal for recreational or year-round living. Quality materials, fireplace, oak trim & a spacious master suite with hot tub are just a few of the many features. Blakeslee amenity package too! \$205,000.

A TOUCH OF CHARM - D91125 - Delightful cottage offers essence of what Deep Creek Lake is all about. Secluded wooded lot with dock close to the Yacht Club. Featuring peacefulness that is hard to duplicate \$129,500.

HARVEY'S PENINSULA - D01284 - Lake access home on a very level lot. Dock slip permit. This 3 BR home is efficiently heated w/ a wood stove & oil heat. Great lake starter home. Reduced for quick sale! \$69,900.

THE BLAKESLEE - D911358 - Absolutely beautiful! This wonderful lake home offers the very latest in quality materials and construction with detail craftsmanship throughout. Plenty of space for family & guests with 5 BR and an oversized 2 car garage. A covered porch & driveway entry pillars give exceptional curb appeal \$319,000.

PRICE ADJUSTMENTS

HILLTOP PANORAMA - D11609 - View of lake and mountains beyond with dock slip nearby. Level driveway off Glendale Road into this 4 BR, 2 Ba. cottage nestled among the pines on 1.16± ac. Spotlessly maintained. Landscaped, very private setting Reduced \$131,900.

SNOW LAKE TOWNHOMES - D11641 - Dramatic price reduction on each of these 3 BR, 2 1/2 Ba. designer townhomes at the base of WISP ski slopes and adjacent to golf course. Deck and balcony provide great view of the mountain. Open living plan, great year-round location \$130,000 & \$141,000.

DEEP CREEK FINE ARTS - D11457 - Remodeled, turn of the century Anderson Chapel offers a unique business opportunity. Perfect for an art gallery, antique shop, or other related enterprise! \$29,000.

PENN OAKS LOT #14 - D01292 - Great lot close to Deep Creek Lake in upgrade subdivision. Wooded, parked and ready for your house plans. Perfect getaway spot Reduced to \$25,900.

AURORA, WVA - D08186 - Extremely nice older home that has had most of the remodeling done. Rewired, mostly re-plumbed, insulated, work done inside. 3-4 BR, 1 1/2 Ba., woodburner hook-up, large two car garage w/breezeway. Horse barn. A must see at a great price \$56,000.

GLENDAL RD. - D11484 - Reduced to sell. Beautiful landscaped lot w/2-storage buildings and doublewide home w/3 BR, 1 3/4 Ba., family room w/woodburner. Completely furnished. Must see to appreciate \$48,000.

YOUGHIOGHENY RIVER - D04187 - Beat recovery price! 100 yards of clean Yough River frontage, 3+ ac. of woodland slopes sharply. Reduced to \$34,500.

JUST REDUCED! - D91307 - Immaculate 3 BR rancher offers year-round enjoyment w/50' deeded lake access w/dock slip. Features 2 stone FP, enclosed sun porch w/lake view, new furnace, redwood deck, storage bldg., & much more! \$147,000.

CARMEL COVE #7 - D11658 - Enjoy recreational living from your new home at Carmel Cove. Featuring a practical and attractive floor plan w/added features like w/h pool, fireplace, appliances and 232x10 decks, 3 BR, 2 Ba. \$289,900.

A VIEW THAT DOESN'T STOP - C24008 - Enjoy this hilltop setting off Memorial Dr. 1.50± ac. improved w/a 4 BR, 2 Ba., contemporary log home w/stone accents. Beautifully landscaped including a 20x40' inground pool w/deck surround! Price Adjusted \$139,900.

SKY VALLEY - C11635 - Quality is the "buy-word" in this 1990, 3 BR, lake access home! FP, cathedral ceilings and more Now reduced to \$120,000.

JUST ACROSS THE MD. LINE - C28000 - Cute brick ranch style home, 3 BR, 1 Ba., 1.8± ac., barn, quiet street with nice neighborhood, full basement, gas, wood and coal heat \$45,000.

NEW CONSTRUCTION - B14304 - Charming country home in Southern Pines having its finishing touches completed. Still time to choose your carpeting. Many features include 4 BR, 2 1/2 Ba., dbl. gar., basement, hardwood floors, kitchen/family room & more \$139,900.

SKI COVE - B01301 - Enjoy the pleasures of Deep Creek and Garrett Co. for less. This practical townhouse features an outstanding location w/slopes in view & the lake at your door step. Solid furnished, has a sound rental record, and tennis & dock facilities \$115,000.

DEEP CREEK LAKE AREA

FOSTER ROAD - D11371 - TAKE A CLOSER LOOK at this 1 ac. lot, perked and surveyed/ready to go! Location is an easy drive to both Oakland and the lake. Property directly across is Preservation Land which is a great buffer. Ideal vacation or year-round. Good lot for FHA \$11,900.

GREEN GLADE ROAD - D11637 - 5 BR, 2 Ba. home on 1.07 ac. Ideal as a permanent or vacation home. Oil hot water heat, some furniture \$54,900.

MOSSER RD. - D11621 - Great tax shelter! Inexpensive condo close to all lake and skiing activities. Great investment for your future. College bound son or daughter could live there while attending nearby Garrett Community College \$38,500 each.

OAKLAND SANG RUN RD. - D14328 - Want seclusion with river frontage? Want a contemporary cedar log and stone 4 BR, 2 Ba. house with a lot of upgrades? Want stone fireplaces, LR's? How about ponds and stream on your 32.8 ac. estate? Then this is for you \$190,000.

PSYELL RD., McHENRY/DEEP CREEK LAKE AREA - D911539 - Have the lake and Wisp Ski Area within a very short distance, the advantages of a small residential community, the view of the mountainside and Wisp Ski Area, and the privacy of 4.19± ac. in this building site. Perked and ready \$28,000.

MAPLE-DEL LOT #9 - D11462 - Level and wooded w/sewer tap paid this 1.02± ac. lot is located in the heart of Deep Creek Lake activities \$17,500.

THE WOODS SUB. - D911415 - 1.10 ac. building site in quiet new subdivision. Perfect for your new home \$34,000.

RT. 219 - D04011 - Lake view lot near all activities with sewer tap reserved and attractive pricing \$22,500.

WISP RESORT CONDO - D04156 - Convenient to pool & ski lifts, daily rental potential. 2nd floor unit w/kitchenette. Enjoy Wisp amenities & golf course \$70,500.

OAKLAND/MT. LAKE PARK

MITCHELL MANOR CONTEMPORARY - D14347 - A dramatic two-story atrium family room sets the style here. 3 BR, 2 Ba., two car garage, greenhouse bump-out w/hot-tub, soapstone woodstove and lots more! The right house in an excellent neighborhood! \$184,900.

123-127 S. SECOND ST. - D14342 - Fantastic opportunity to own rental property in the heart of Oakland's business district, consisting of 2 storefronts, 1 restaurant space and 3 apartments. Updated plumbing and electrical service and a new gas furnace \$185,000.

MITCHELL MANOR - D14344 - Thinking of building? See these! Prestigious south end \$17,000 each.

MT. LAKE PARK - D14311 - 3 BR ranch style home on 3 beautiful lots. Home in immaculate condition. Like new carpeting & roof only 3 years old. A full basement makes this the perfect starter home \$54,900.

104 D STREET - D14333 - 10 room rancher w/full basement, family room has beautiful stone FP, most rooms have ceiling fans, kitchen has 68x3' pantry. This home has many extras including large wrap-around deck. Call for your appointment \$59,900.

SUNRISE DRIVE - D04200 - Stop by this rancher near the high school to see this immaculate home with full basement and cozy family room w/fireplace. Home features Home Protection too. A must see \$87,500.

COUNTRY RESIDENTIAL

COUNTRY LIVING - D14340 - Situated on 4.61 ac. of apple, peach, plum and cherry trees, this vintage 1930-style house has been remodeled. There is a 2-stall barn, fenced and ready for horses and a barbecue pit for outdoor entertaining \$59,000.

GRANTSVILLE - D16061 - 109.96 acres suitable for beef farming w/13 room house, 90 ft. barn, 5 miles south of Grantsville off Maynardier Ridge Road. Nice farm land \$150,000.

VIEWS, QUIET & CONVENIENT LOCATION - D15019 - 3 BR, 2 Ba. home on 1 ac. with lots of room for your family. Nice retirement place or starter home. See this one before you buy \$62,000.

AN IMMACULATE PROPERTY - D14327 - 6.36± ac. with a lovely 3300 sq. ft. home tucked away amidst a private wooded setting. The romantic master suite, tastefully decorated living area and a wonderful kitchen area with atrium breakfast nook. The best high-light is the heated pool and patio center, ready for entertaining. A massive 2-car detached garage w/ storage too! \$229,000.

OLD MORGANTOWN ROAD - D915032 - New ranch home in a beautiful country setting with wonderful mountain views. This 3 BR, 1 1/2 Ba. home features full basement, FP in the living room, and a one car garage. Home will be turnkey and ready for occupancy real soon so don't wait to see it. Priced below appraised value \$95,000.

BEN DEWITT ROAD - D14252 - Discover the pleasures of country living in this 3 BR contemporary home on 3.54± acres. Large deck, satellite, & wood-stove. Don't Delay! \$65,500.

LOTS & ACREAGE

TIMBERS ON THE YOUGH - D14341 - 7± ac. of beautiful wooded serenity, perked and ready for your home \$34,777.

SUN VIEW HGTS. - D11638 - Building Sites. Lots 5 & 6 (together) 2.39± ac. close to lake with nice views. Quality lots at budget price \$29,000.

NEAR DEEP CREEK LAKE STATE PARK - D11608 - Wooded 1.4± ac. lot off Toothpick Rd. Sewerage tap applied for. Utilities at street \$25,000.

Sunset Ridge

SUNSET RIDGE - Chosen from 34 1/4 ac. view lots. Horse boarding & owner financing available. Offered well below other lake lots, from \$15,800.

LOVELY RESIDENTIAL LOTS - D14279 - Close to golf course and stores. Oakland water and sewerage available. Perfect setting for your family's home in good neighborhood per lot \$12,000.

EXCEPTIONAL DEVELOPMENT PROPERTY - D04070 - Over 63 acres of beautiful rolling fields. Partly wooded with exceptional views from hillside of Memorial Drive and Rt. 219 Commercial and residential zoning \$850,000.

LOT #24, SOUTHERN PINES - D04199 - Half acre lot in new subdivision with all utilities including natural gas. Lot partially cleared and ready for your house plans. Good view lot \$15,500.

COUNTRY CLUB ACRES - D14284 - You can buy two lots for the price of one. Two lots totalling 70 acres in one of Oakland's premier neighborhoods. Call for directions and information \$19,500.

PSYELL CROSS CUT RD. - D14238 - Beautiful 7± ac. wooded building lot across from the new Four Winds community. Great potential in development area! \$25,000.

OVERLOOK SUBDIVISION - D914312 - Sloping, wooded 1.69± ac. homesite in new Four Winds Communities Victorian village \$52,000.

KING HILLS ESTATES - Corner level lot in very convenient location near schools \$16,000.

GRANTSVILLE - D96020 - 8.65 acres, 3 miles east of Grantsville, fronting Rt. 40 \$30,000.

COMMERCIAL/FARMS/INVESTMENT

1044 ± ACRE ESTATE - D18348 - 200 ac. of working farm, 800 ac. timber. Circa 1865 brick dwelling and 3,000+ sq. ft. stone rancher. Several outbuildings. Recreational development potential. Via Jennings Randolph Lake. Frontage on North Branch of Potomac River \$725,000.

GREAT COMMERCIAL INVESTMENT PROPERTY! - D04069 - Very unique and attractive setting for shopping center and offices with close access to town of Oakland. Just outside of town limits on Rt. 219 North. Must see to appreciate \$525,000.

PRIME COMMERCIAL ACREAGE - D14326 - This is a prime piece of ground w/plenty of acreage & road frontage. With approximately 55 ac. and approx. 1275' of road frontage on Rt. 135, this property can be used as both commercial and residential. Great traffic flow on this road \$285,000.

RT. 219 NORTH - D11540 - 72± ac. with road frontage, zoned towncenter, commercial \$99,000.

BACKBONE MTN. SERVICE STATION - D04208 - If you're looking for a business with incredible potential, look no further. This little convenience store/gas station has plenty of potential. Over 3600 of area, living quarters on second floor. Great location along Rt. 50 near all coal mines \$65,000.

FANTASTIC BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY - D15033 - This is your chance to invest in profitable laundromat and car wash. Garage, office spaces and apartments allow for good income potential. Call for details.

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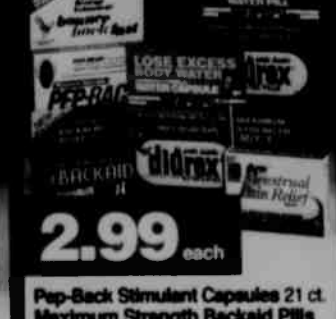
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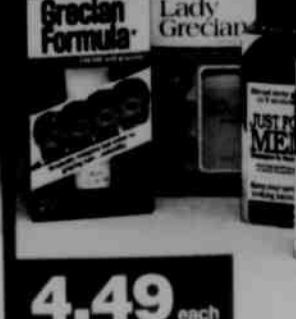
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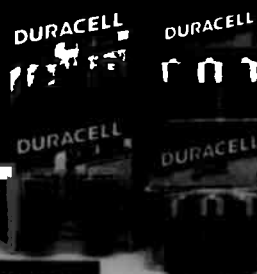
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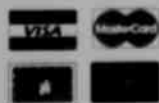
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SHOP GUTTED BY FIRE - An equipment shop owned by Ernest Schrock and located along Underwood Road was severely damaged by fire Tuesday morning. Oakland, Deer Park, and Terra Alta fire fighters were summoned to the scene about three miles south of Oakland at 8:40 a.m. and found the second level of the

block/metal building fully involved in flames. The fire was accidental in nature, having originated in the area of a wood stove on the ground floor. Schrock and his neighbors wasted no time in replacing the structure, however, as photos on page 2-A will show. See story for details. Photo by Craig Phillips.

Farm Equipment Business Hit By Fire Tuesday

One building of a local farm equipment business was severely damaged by an accidental fire Tuesday morning.

Oakland, Deer Park, and Terra Alta volunteer fire departments were summoned at 8:40 a.m. to Ernest Schrock Farm Equipment along Underwood Road about three miles south of Oakland. Upon their arrival, they discovered heavy smoke and flames coming from the second story of a block building with a sheet metal roof.

Intense heat and exploding paint cans hampered initial efforts by fire fighters, but they brought the blaze under control in about a half-hour and were successful in saving an attached building, while Schrock and other employees managed to safely remove farm machinery from the ground level of the building that was on fire.

The blaze originated around a wood stove on the ground level of the building. Schrock said he had put wood on the fire earlier that morning and may have left an aerosol can too close to the stove. He said when he returned to the shop, the door of the wood stove was open and flames were shooting up and around the flue.

There was no estimate of damage, however most of the contents on the level of the fire, which included a wide variety of engine parts, gears, and paint, were destroyed or damaged. Schrock told fire officials that he had no insurance on the property.

Also responding to the scene were the county air cascade vehicle, a Potomac Edison Company crew, and the Southern Rescue Squad. There were no injuries reported.

Firemen remained on the scene for just over an hour and a half.

vacant," Edwards stated.

"We wouldn't be firing anyone and we'd still have more state employees than we had six years ago," he added. He noted that the move would not negatively impact the state and would make for a "comfortable, fair and equitable" solution and one that would "allow flexibility."

When Edwards was asked if the current situation with the budget was the result of legislators waiting too long to deal with the budget or if the budget issues were just too complicated, he responded by stating, "A little of both."

Reports indicate that budget negotiations are still at a deadlock and that the General Assembly will most likely be meeting an extra week to come up with a solution. Edwards stated that each extra day the assembly is in session, costs a reported \$20,000.

Health Dept. To Implement Breast, Cervical Cancer Screening Program

Garrett County Health Officer Dr. Rex Archer announced this week that a \$50,000 to \$70,000 grant will be received by the department for the purpose of offering breast and cervical cancer screenings to uninsured women. Archer expects the program to begin no later than July but that unresolved local and state funding issues will be the main determining factor.

Dr. Archer reported that breast cancer is the second largest cause of death among women, both nationally and statewide, and when the cancer is detected early on, the cure rate is dramatically increased. Once the cancer has spread, however, the cure rate is quite low.

The Rural Health Outreach Grant is being provided in an effort to make the screenings more widely available to women who do not have health insurance.

"One of the critical things we've become aware of is that women past the child-bearing age are not getting themselves to the doctor for regular check-ups," stated Archer, who urged that women with insurance get cancer screenings as soon as possible if they have not done so recently, and that uninsured women plan to take advantage of the screenings to be offered at the health department.

Archer also emphasized that cervical cancer is "totally preventable," but if not detected early, will most likely result in death.

The health department is also developing a program to distribute nicotine patches to smokers who are trying to quit.



AIRPORT GROUNDBREAKING - The Garrett County Commissioners participated in a groundbreaking ceremony Tuesday at the Garrett County Airport expansion site. The airport project will include a new 500-foot runway extension plus a 300-foot turfed runway safety area. A complete rehabilitation of the existing runway will also be completed as well as a new paved parking apron, connecting taxiway, and runway lighting. Shown above at the groundbreaking, left to right, are County Commissioners John G. Braskey, Elwood L. Groves, and Brenda Butcher; Nina Conway, Western Maryland representative to U.S. Senator Paul S. Sarbanes; and Carol Stewart, Cabinet Executive of Albright, W.Va. In the second row, same order, are Doug Green, Garrett County Planning and Zoning Office; Tom Jones, Garrett Co. Economic Development director; Tom Gotsch, airport manager; and Robert Sanders, resident engineer for Greiner, Inc. Ms. Conway presented a flag to Gotsch during the ceremony.

Performance Test Results Released By State BOE

State Superintendent of Schools Nancy S. Grasmick recently released results of challenging new state tests she said mark the beginning of a new phase of the state's school improvement effort that will ensure a better quality of education for every student.

The assessments are part of the Maryland School Performance Program, which is a key strategy of the state's "Schools for Success" effort to reach the education goals by the year 2000. The tests were given for the first time in May 1991 to students in grades 3, 5, and 8. They are designed to assess high-level application of knowledge and skills in reading, writing, language usage, and mathematics. The tests emphasize critical thinking and problem-solving skills in these areas.

"We need to work together to validate procedures and ensure that we have the most comprehensive and accurate information for school improvement," Dr. Grasmick said.

"Much of our success will depend on our collaborative efforts to improve our data-gathering," Dr. Grasmick said. She emphasized that "the participation of classroom teachers is essential to the success of the assessment and school improvement efforts."

The state superintendent Continued on Page A-13

Byron Hosts Meeting To Assemble Council For GCC Sports Institute

At a meeting last week in Washington organized by Rep. Beverly Byron (D-Md.), a group of two dozen educators, government officials, and amateur sports executives began the process of assembling an Executive Council to direct the activities of Garrett Community College's Adventure Sports Institute.

The institute, which is in the planning and developmental stages, was formed in 1991 in response to the success of the 1989 Whitewater Canoe and Kayak World Championships held on the Savage River in Garrett County.

The institute will focus on five activities: developing a college-level academic program, research and development of athletic products and equipment, attracting amateur athletic associations to the region, hosting and promoting amateur sports competitions, and furthering continuing education in individual athletic pursuits.

"I am excited about the future of this program," Byron said. "The Adventure Sports Institute will draw on the experience and expertise of the volunteers that conducted the World Championships. Building on this success, we are now in a position to attract national attention to the region."

Adventure Sports are individual sports occurring in different climates. Examples

are alpine and nordic skiing, whitewater canoeing, kayaking, rafting, hiking, orienteering, running, and mountain biking.

"Garrett County is uniquely located to promote these sports," Byron continued. "The county has a large lake, two beautiful white-water rivers, mountains, a number of state parks and miles of trails. In addition, the county is within several hours drive of most of the major population centers of the east coast. I am very enthusiastic about the future of the Institute."

Area Agency On Aging To Restore Nutrition Services

The Garrett County Area Agency on Aging (AAA) has received a special grant from the Maryland Office on Aging to restore nutrition services to its meal programs for the remainder of FY '92, according to an Agency spokesperson.

AAA was forced to reduce congregate services in October 1991 from three to two days at five locations and to reduce home-delivered meals from five to three days per week. These reductions were a result of limited federal funding and cuts in state funding for the 1992 fiscal year. Because of the special grant, the 1991 schedule can be resumed effective April 6, 1992.

"AAA is very pleased to have the opportunity to restore services, if only through September," said the spokesperson. "There has been considerable concern regarding the frail homebound who rely on the meal program for adequate nutrition. It is imperative the AAA be able to meet the needs of those individuals."

Although the special grant enables the restoration of services, AAA must continue all current cost saving measures and the increased senior contributions must be maintained. The number of meals AAA can provide is based not only on available state and federal dollars, but also on contributions made by participants/recipients and USDA reimbursement for all meals served.

A revised AAA nutrition site schedule follows: Flowery Vale Senior Center, Acci- Continued on Page A-17

Cast List For "Showstoppers" Announced Today

The cast list for the Garrett Choral Society's production "Showstoppers of Broadway" was announced today by Nancy Learey, director. Learey explained that it was necessary to change the program by adding scenes from "The Music Man" and canceling the scenes from "1776."

Mrs. Learey expressed her thanks to all those who auditioned and stated that she was "thrilled" by the large turnout.

All people listed are asked to meet at St. Mark's Lutheran Church on Sunday, April 5, at 7 p.m. for a 30-minute meeting.

Oliver's Cast
workhouse children - 1st, Megan Dabney, 2nd, Jennifer Grant, 3rd, Alex Hill, 4th, Miriam Sincell; 5th, Molly McGowan, 6th, Jacob Dehus; Mr. Bumble - Len Eiswert; Widow Corney - Scindra Rosson; Artful Dodger - Daniel Sincell; Fagin - Tom Hayhurst; Nancy - Suzie Sincell.

Fagin's Gang - 1st child, Frankie Coviello, 2nd, Andrew Hill, 3rd, Angie Sincell; 4th, Rachel Sincell; 5th, Rebecca Gangler; Strawberry seller - Cathy Helbig; Milkmaid - Maria Massi; rose seller - Theda Sanders; and knife grinder - Jim Harvey.

"Sound of Music" Cast
Maria - Jann Dehus; Captain - Don Sincell; Leisler - Krysta Stacy; Friederich - David Peterson, Louisa - Continued on Page A-13

Edwards Says Different Approach To Budget Should Have Been Taken

District 1-A Delegate George C. Edwards is not satisfied with the way the leadership of the Maryland 1992 General Assembly is handling efforts to balance the state budget, and stated this week that a "different approach" should have been taken.

Edwards believes legislators "could have done more in trimming the budget without significantly hurting state operations." In his view, the state of the economy would have been the only reason to have considered tax increases.

"If the economy was well, we wouldn't be looking at tax increases," he said, adding that it now appears the economy is improving.

Edwards explained that legislators should have approached the budgetary process from a different starting point. Instead of starting from the original baseline 1993 operating

budget, "which is business as usual, they should have started from the revised, or adjusted, 1992 budget -- the one that already reflected cuts made during the summer session," he said.

He said an additional \$30 to \$50 million could have been trimmed from the budget, noting, "They should have taken the time to do that." Specifically, he said, the group with which he was working managed to produce a budget that required only an additional \$175 million in revenue but that an additional \$400 million will be needed for the baseline 1993 budget proposal.

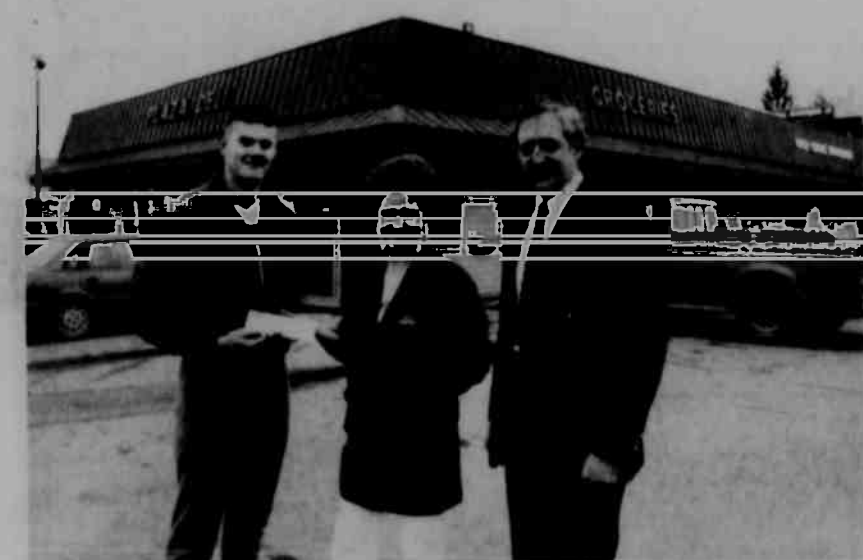
Edwards also stressed that it would have made more sense to cut state operations one to two percent across the board since "business is not as usual."

He stated that the assembly will be passing an early retirement bill which will produce a savings to the state of \$17.7 million. But, he said, the savings is based on projections that, of the 2,800 state employees eligible for early retirement, only 42 percent of half of them would take advantage of it. That works out to approximately 6-700 employees, he said.

"I think we should have assumed that all of those eligible would take advantage of early retirement and planned not to replace 1,400 of those positions -- if we did that, we could save the state a total of \$25 million (counting the positions already

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OLYMPIC TRIAL TICKET DEADLINE NOTED - Garrett County residents, for a limited time, have the opportunity to take advantage of the sale of half-price tickets for the U.S. Canoe and Kayak Team Olympic Trials on the Savage River May 16-17, the deadline for the special rate is April 15, according to Dr. Steve Herman, president of Garrett Community College. Pictured above buying his tickets from Lisa Webster at the Plaza Del Rio is Ronald Long. Lowell Bender, coordinator of ticket sales and director of Continuing Education at GCC, above right, has arranged for all tickets sold at Garrett County outlets to be available at half-price until April 15. This ticket price of \$5 will include parking at designated lots, shuttle bus to the race site, entrance to the Trials and to the Star Spangled Festival events on the site. Children 12 and under will be admitted free when accompanied by a parent.



NEWSPAPER HONORED - In honor and recognition of the willingness and cooperation of the public and help given to the members of Southern Garrett VICA, the Maryland State VICA Association presented the 1992 VICA Newspaper Recognition Award to The Republican Newspaper, Oakland. The award was presented to a representative of Southern Garrett VICA at the Maryland State VICA Awards ceremony last Saturday by the state officers of the Maryland VICA Association and presented to Don Sincell, editor of The Republican, by representatives of the Southern Garrett VICA officers on Wednesday, April 1. The Republican was nominated by Arthur Refoaco, principal at Southern High School. Maryland VICA designed the award as a means to recognize newspapers across Maryland that cover the activities of the local chapters. Speaking on behalf of the entire staff of The Republican, Sincell said, "We are pleased and proud to accept this award; however it is our pleasure to support our local young people for their outstanding efforts in the VICA program." Shown left to right for the presentation of the plaque are Todd Toothman, parliamentarian of VICA; Don Sincell, editor of The Republican; Sheila Butt, president of VICA; Nathan Dixon, vice president of VICA; and Arthur Refoaco, principal of Southern High School.



Local residents may want to take a nap Saturday afternoon if they hope to make it to church Sunday morning, because Garrett County and the rest of the nation will return to daylight savings time at about 2 a.m. Sunday morning, meaning one fewer hour of sleep. While some may want to stay up and wait until 2 a.m. Sunday to set their clocks ahead one hour, we suggest it be done before retiring Saturday night.



VICA AWARD WINNERS - Southern Garrett VICA (Vocational Industrial Clubs of America) traveled to Catonsville this past weekend for the Maryland State VICA Skills Olympics. Many returned with first, second, and third place awards. (See separate story.) VICA members are pictured left to right, first row: John Lee, Julie Severe, Anita Paugh, Haroula Knotts, John Moreland, and Sungvien Smith; second row: Nathan Dixon, Sheila Butt, Bill Cowgill, Vicki Harvey, Mandi Guy, Heather Baker, Becky Clary, and Candy Moreland; and third row: Chuck Fink, Billy Bittinger, Todd Toothman, Jeff Spencer, Martin Cady, Tim Wilt, and Roger Reckert. Absent for the photograph was Jeremy Smith.

Southern Garrett Wins Md. State VICA Awards

Southern Garrett VICA (Vocational Industrial Clubs of America) made its annual trip to the Maryland State VICA Skills Olympics during the weekend of March 27 and 28 and returned home with several state awards. Receiving first place in the state competition were Sungvien Smith for job skill demonstration, John Moreland for automobile

service technology, and Todd Toothman for outstanding club. Second place awards were given to Nathan Dixon, Sheila Butt, Chuck Fink, Bill Cowgill, Jason DeSignore, Anita Paugh, Stephanie Alexander, and Becky Bittinger for safety, Billy Bittinger and Jeff Spencer for promotional bulletin board, and Heather Baker, Vicki Harvey, Martin Cady, Tim Wilt, and Roger Reckert for display. Students receiving third place awards were Anita

Paugh, Julie Severe, Candy Moreland, Sheila Butt, Bill Cowgill, Mandi Guy, and Becky Clary for opening and closing team, Dave Biser for action skills demonstration, Jeremy Smith for brick masonry, John Lee for cabinetmaking, and Haroula Knotts for prepared speech. Sungvien Smith, John Moreland, Todd Toothman, and Nathan Dixon have now qualified for competition in the National VICA Skills Olympics. They will be traveling to Louisville, Ky., during the week of June 22-28 for that competition. Persons wishing to help raise the necessary funds for the students to make the trip are asked to contact Southern High School for more information.

"Mini-Mester" For Adults Set At GCC Campus

A special "mini-mester" for adults has been scheduled by Garrett Community College again, from June 1-22, according to a college spokesperson. Two courses will be offered at this time: Expository Writing (ENG 101), that will meet four mornings a week, Monday-Thursday, from 9 a.m. - noon for three weeks, and Portfolio Development (LS 104), that will meet on Tuesday June 2, at 1 p.m. for the first class session.

This combination of courses is designed primarily for adults who have had non-traditional learning experiences through their employment, military or volunteer service, and who would now like to have that learning evaluated for college credit. Students taking both courses concurrently will find that the content will be coordinated to some degree. It is not, however, necessary for a student to take both courses at once.

In the three-credit Expository Writing course taught by Joan B. Crawford, students who are also taking the portfolio development course will have writing assign-

ments that will help them prepare a portfolio documenting their learning experiences. Other students will have writing assignments related to their careers or their families, on subjects of particular interest to adults. In the portfolio development course taught by George McDowell, students will learn about various mechanisms now in place at GCC for evaluating non-college learning, and will prepare a portfolio documenting their experiences. Students in this one credit course will meet with the instructor approximately one hour each week at a mutually arranged time.

Students may register for these and other summer courses at the Registrar's Office of the college Mondays through Thursdays during business hours, beginning April 6. Anyone desiring further information about these two courses may call Ms. Crawford or McDowell at 387-6606.

Plans Continue For All-Night SHS Prom Party

Twenty-five parents and concerned members of the community met Tuesday night at Southern High School to begin the final phase of preparations for an after-prom celebration for juniors and seniors on May 9. Activities, decorations, food, prizes, and budgetary concerns were discussed by those in attendance. Throughout the month of April, weekly meetings will be held on Thursdays at 7 p.m. at Southern to finalize the events for this celebration. All interested persons are invited to attend.

Letters will be sent out this week to area businesses, churches, and community organizations in order to solicit funds for the activities. Anyone wishing to make a contribution to support the all-night prom party may send their donation to Southern High School, in care of Post-Prom Party, 1100 E. Oak Street, Oakland, MD 21550.



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GCC Summer Schedule Includes Four Sessions

Four separate Summer Sessions have been scheduled at Garrett Community College this year, according to Joan B. Crawford, director of enrollment development. These include two early three-week sessions of special interest courses for adults, a regular seven-week session of day and evening courses, and a seven-week pre-college semester of preparatory.

The first of these, a three-week summer day session from May 18 - June 5, will offer a one-credit course in Machinery Operation (AGT 180) five mornings a week, from 8 a.m. - noon, and a two-credit course in Herbaceous Plant Identification (NRW 180) that will meet five afternoons a week, from 1-5 p.m. Both of these courses can also be taken as non-credit offerings.

The adult mini-mester, from June 1-22, includes a special section of Expository Writing (ENG 101) designed for adults, and portfolio development seminar (LS 104) for students who are seeking college credit for non-traditional learning.

In the regular seven-week summer session from June 8 - July 23, six day classes are scheduled, most in the mornings. These are: Introduction to Computer Science (CS 105), Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 9 a.m. to noon; Cultural Geography (GEO 201), Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, from 10 a.m. to noon; College Algebra (MAT 105), Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, from 10 a.m. to noon; Introduction to Typing (OT 121), Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, from 10:15 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.; Speedwriting (OT 124), Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, from 8 to 10 a.m. Two practicums will also be offered during these weeks: Natural Resources and Wildlife Management, and Resort Management, both at arranged times.

Evening classes in the seven week session are Expository Writing (ENG 101), Introduction to Literature (ENG 102), and Introduction to Chemistry, all scheduled from 5 to 8 p.m. Mondays and Wednesdays, with a Chemistry Lab from 8 to 10 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays, from 5 to 8 p.m., General Psychology (PSY 101), Basic Speech (SPC 101), and Bioscience (BIO 100) are scheduled, with a Bioscience lab from 8 to 10 p.m. The one-credit Pipes and Drums (MUS 119) is being offered on Wednesday evenings, and Principles of Sociology (SOC 101) is available at arranged time through College of The Air.

The Pre-College Semester includes seven weeks of courses designed to prepare a student to do college level work. These courses are offered in the mornings, Mondays through Thursday. They are: Basic Writing (ENG 95), Preparatory Math (MAT 90), Algebra I (MAT 95), Algebra II (MAT 98),



IN JUST 48 HOURS, Ernest Schrock and about 50 friends and neighbors cleaned up, tore down, and rebuilt Mr. Schrock's equipment shop that was gutted by fire Tuesday morning. These photos were taken this morning, almost exactly 48 hours after the photo on the front page was taken. All of the rafters and the roof of the building had to be replaced. Every rafter was made "from scratch" on-site. Schrock, who had no insurance on the

property, noted his appreciation this morning to all of the people who helped with the re-building, supplied food, and assisted in any way since the fire. He also noted his appreciation to local fire fighters, who were able to contain the blaze to the second floor of one building and keep the fire from spreading to adjacent and connected structures.

Photos by Craig Phillips

Geometry (MAT 97), and Intro to College Reading (RDG 95). Students interested in taking any of these classes should call Jack DuBose at the college, 387-6666, to make arrangements for placement testing, if they have not already done so.

Registration for these summer courses will be taken beginning April 6 at the Registrar's Office of the college, Monday - Thursday, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Anyone desiring further information about any of these courses may call the Student Assistance center of the college at 387-6666.

Rash Of Thefts Investigated In Mill Run Area

The Maryland State Police, Barrack W. McHenry, is currently investigating the reports of numerous thefts or attempted thefts that occurred on the Mill Run Road in Friendsville.

Tfc. John Foley is heading the investigation for state police and noted that, thus far, three cases have been reported in that area.

Audrey M. Driscoll, told police that someone broke into her cabin between 3 p.m. Thursday and 8:30 a.m. Friday and removed a mountain bike, a fan, a kerosene heater, and a coffeemaker.

The cabin of Lawrence L. James was reportedly entered approximately the same time, but it is not known if anything was taken as Mr. James was out of the area at the time of the breaking and entering.

Robert O. Smith, reported that between 5 p.m. Saturday and 8 a.m. Sunday someone broke into his cabin and stole a wooden table and chairs and a wooden bookshelf.

Tfc. Gregory S. Becker is also investigating two additional reports of theft.



Donald L. Lipscomb, 31, Grantsville, reported that while he was fishing beneath the U.S. Route 219 Bridge at Deep Creek Lake on Sunday afternoon, someone entered his pickup truck left unattended along the road and stole a Plano tackle box containing numerous lures.

CSX Transportation officials told police that a half roll of Geomattin fiberglass, 14 feet long and grey in color, was stolen from near some railroad tracks on March 19. Two track workers reportedly observed a blue, two-tone Ford pickup truck leaving the area with the roll of matting in the bed of the truck. The investigation is continuing.

DWI ARRESTS
Two DWI (driving while under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs) arrests were noted by state police this past week.

Steve R. Stone, 30, Oakland, was charged with DWI last Thursday by Tfc. S.H. Anderson.

David S. Meier, 23, Summer Hill, Pa., was arrested for DWI by Tfc. J.K. Moore on Friday.

Volunteers Sought To Answer Phones For Olympic Trials

Volunteers are needed to answer telephone calls at Garrett Community College relating to the Olympic Trials, according to a college spokesperson.

Volunteers will be giving information about the Trials scheduled for May 16-17 on the Savage River, taking orders for tickets, and taking requests for accommodations reservations.

There is an immediate need for persons to answer telephones during morning hours. Interested persons are asked to contact Anna Maria Williamson at the college.

Grantsville Choir To Present Easter Cantata April 12

The Grantsville Community Choir will present the "The Third Day," a cantata by Michael Parks, on Palm Sunday, April 12, at 7:30 p.m. at St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Grantsville.

The choir is dedicating the concert to the memory of the late Donald Newman, who was a member of the choir for many years.

The Rev. Timothy Allen will be narrator. Gloria Martin is the choir director and Kathy Klink is pianist. Soloists include: Andy Layman, "Give Him to Me;" Sue Beachy, "In the Upper Room;" Gloria Martin, "He Grew the Tree;" and Rae Ann Frazee, "Nobody Cared." The choir will sing "How Can It Be" and "Hallelujah! Christ is Risen."

The choir is observing its 16th year, having been formed in 1976. Members are from a variety of denominations.

Choir members are: Gloria Bender, Carol Humberston, Gale Ringer, Linda Youmans, Mary Alice Broadwater, Sue Beachy, B.J. Miller, Jean Livengood, Allison Miller, Lillian Guthrie, Elizabeth Fife, Carol Newman, Elinne Fife, Kay Layman, Jane Benson, Rae Ann Frazee, Gloria Martin, Rev. Tim Allen, Dale Kinsinger, Andy Layman, David Rawe, Nathan Rawe, Lynn Newman, Joe McRobie, Clifford Bender, Gerald Beachy, Brad Otto, and Wayne Durst.

The cantata will also be presented at 2 p.m. at the Flowery Vale Community

Gaithersburg Man Arrested For B&E

A Gaithersburg man was arrested Friday night by Garrett County Sheriff's deputies and charged with one count of breaking and entering and one count of storehouse breaking and entering.

Steven M. Furnanage, 24, apparently illegally entered a house under construction located on Rt. 50 east of Red House. The home is owned by Ruth Janoske. Police were contacted at 6:30 p.m. and responded to the scene, where they found the suspect hiding in the basement, according to the report. No property had been removed from the home.

Furnanage was incarcerated at the Garrett County Jail after the arrest, and was later released after posting a \$500 bond, according to a Sheriff's Office spokesperson.

Theft
Richard Clever contacted the Sheriff's Office last week to report the possible theft of a Sears camcorder. Clever told police that he set the camera down on a cafeteria table at Southern High School after the high school band concert. When he went to retrieve it, the camera was gone.

The item has been valued at \$1,200, according to the police report. An investigation is continuing into the theft.

Final Lenten Service To Be At St. John's

The final one of a series of Wednesday evening community Lenten services planned by Oakland area clergy and sponsored by the Mt. Top Ministerial Association will be held on April 8 at St. John's Episcopal Church, Deer Park. Starting time for the service will be 7:30 p.m.

Guest preacher for the Wednesday evening service will be the Rev. Raymond Urain, pastor of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Oakland. In keeping with this year's theme, Pastor Urain will focus on the conclusion of the Lord's Prayer which begins with the words, "For thine is the kingdom..."

Light refreshments will be served following the service.

Offering money received at all of the Wednesday evening services is to be used for the Ministerial Association's Transient Fund and the House of Hope.

Community services planned for Holy Week include a series of week-day noon-time services during the week and the traditional three-hour service on Good Friday. These services will be held at St. Paul's United Methodist Church, Oakland. Scheduled time for the week-day services will be noon to 12:30, and noon to 3 p.m. for the Good Friday services.

Rob W. Michael Named Trustee For GCC Board



Rob W. Michael, Oakland, received word Tuesday that he had been named a trustee for the Garrett Community College Board of Trustees. That appointment was made by Gov. William Donald Schaefer.

Michael will serve the unexpired term of Katharine

Smith, who resigned last year after many years of service to the board.

A graduate of Garrett Community College, Michael was recognized in "Who's Who Among American Junior Colleges." He is president of the GCC Alumni Association, past secretary of the GCC Foundation, a member of the Board of Governors at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, a member of the Board of Directors for TARGET, a past member of the Board of Directors for the Garrett County-Deep Creek Lake Promotion Council and a member of the Baltimore Bicycle Club.

Michael is the owner of the Rob W. Michael Insurance Agency, Oakland, and has received various industry awards, including member of the State Farm Millionaire Club, Regional Council vice president, and National Life Underwriters Producers Award.

Additionally, Michael teaches insurance courses in the Continuing Education Department at the college.

Michael is the son of Clyde W. Michael, Deep Creek Lake, and the late Mary Moran Michael. He is married to the former Barbara E. Mance and they are the parents of two children, Emmett Moran and E. Bailey Michael. The Michael family resides on Third Street in Oakland.

Michael attended his first board meeting on Tuesday night, just hours after receiving notification that he had been named to the board. He was officially sworn into that position at the Garrett County Courthouse on Wednesday morning by Clerk of the Circuit Court David K. Martin.

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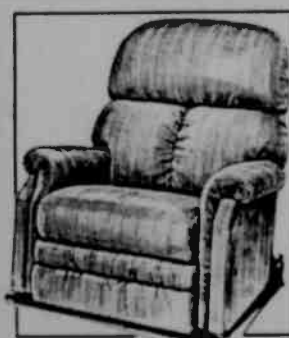
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Campaign Update...

The leaders of the Democrat party must be tearing their hair out right about now, as their party's two leading candidates continue to rip each other to shreds and the media and others keep digging for and reporting as much personal dirt as possible about them. With each passing day, Bill Clinton and Jerry Brown seem to be becoming less and less electable and one wonders just what the ultimate outcome will be at the Democrat convention.

Will Clinton continue to slide in a negative direction and Brown's popularity grow just enough to equalize their delegate totals and give neither enough for the nomination? Will Paul Tsongas ease back into the competition and win the nomination down the stretch? Will there be a dark horse, such as Mario Cuomo, who jumps into the race at the last minute and dramatically seizes the nomination at the convention?

Meanwhile, on the Republican side, things seem to be going rather well for President Bush. While some GOP leaders have been bashing Pat Buchanan, contending that his campaign is harming the party and President Bush, we disagree. In fact, we believe Buchanan's campaign has been a good thing for the president because it has verified that a significant number of Republican voters are frustrated and displeased with some of the president's actions and or inactions. If Bush had no competition, he may have come away with the wrong impression that all Republicans are satisfied with his administration and leadership. Buchanan's campaign has forced the president to act and to work on a campaign, instead of allowing him to just sit back and relax.

We think that there is even some behind-the-scenes support of Jerry Brown by Republican leaders, who realized several weeks ago that he was the best weapon available to slow down Clinton's quest for the White House.

The other issue that will make this one of the more interesting election years is the check-bouncing controversy that has a significant number of incumbent senators and representatives scrambling for their political lives. The "house cleaning" has already begun, as several incumbents have either been defeated in their primaries or have decided not to seek reelection.

What will November bring? It's too early to tell, but it will certainly be nice when it's all over.

Letters to the Editor

Editor's note: The writer of the following letter to Johanna Younger, Garrett County Mental Health Department director, requested that it appear in *The Republican*.

Dear Johanna:

Because I do not believe this to be an isolated incident, I have a serious concern I wish to share with you.

A personal friend of mine, college graduate, unemployed and without adequate transportation and under great stress, knew she was in urgent need of counseling. Last Wednesday she called the Mental Health Department and was told someone would call her back. On Friday she called again to be told again that someone would call her back if she would leave her name - but her telephone number was not asked for! No one called her. She had a near total collapse on Sunday and I spent several hours with her. I called your office on Monday morning and I was told to take my friend for a 1 p.m. appointment. At almost 1:30 p.m., she was seen by the intake worker only to be told she first had to be seen by the crisis



counselor. When the crisis counselor appeared, she asked if my friend was "in crisis?" This question is a professional statement and not readily understood by a lay person. In a distressed and distraught condition, my friend was crushed by the lack of sensitivity and concern about her condition, especially when told by the crisis counselor that in any case there was a waiting list and she would not be seen until May! This is the

end of March!

I understand there have been many absurd cuts in the funding for mental health programs. Therefore it behooves you to train your staff to give the best services they can to those distressed persons needing the services of a counselor. No attempt was made to relieve my friend's immediate anxiety: there was no kindness nor professional concern. When I called the crisis counselor at Sacred Heart

Hospital for advice, I was immediately struck by the contrast in attitude. The crisis counselor there was all concern and as a caring professional she efficiently made several recommendations which, unfortunately, were all in Cumberland. The only other counseling services available in Garrett County do not have a sliding scale for payment and the fees are too high for my friend.

On a personal note and as a taxpayer, I bitterly resent monies being spent in such huge quantities on roads, golf courses, sports structures, etc., at the expense of much needed mental health programs.

At board meetings, you are frequently asked about delays in appointments for evaluations and counseling, which you always deny. Obviously you are mistaken and there are serious delays. I suggest you have persons who answer the telephones to give accurate information, always taking into account they are talking to individuals who are disturbed and upset and who need help with their mental health problems.

If your mental health programs are to survive these serious funding cuts, then your staff will have to be trained to show normal and appropriate concerns towards those who need their services, and to ensure that these services are rendered with the highest professional counseling and in the shortest possible time.

Sincerely,
Margaret Beadle
Chairwoman, Adult Mental Health Services
Garrett County Mental Health Advisory Board

To the Editor:

Government employees across the state are "paying" an extra tax over and above every other citizen in Maryland. The furloughs we are now experiencing are causing teachers, etc. to take a pay cut of up to as much as \$1,000. I, personally, do not have that much discretionary money in my budget. On top of that there are some officials who believe we should continue working/twisting as though nothing were different. While such a situation will deflate morale even further, there is an even more destructive effect.

The elected officials, but more importantly the general public that elected them, must not be led to believe that a school system can continue as usual when funds are reduced. We have been told to cut the fat! Those of us in a classroom do not represent the fat! We are on the front lines with the students and their parents. Students are the reason any of us are here. The major goals and objectives of a school system are accompanied in a classroom between the teacher and the student with support from parents.

To "hide" the destructive effects of these budget cuts will only prolong the problem. It will be years before anyone recognizes that his neighborhood school is not the same. By then the situation will be so

Child Abuse Prevention Month

The Scope of the Problem in Garrett County
by Robert T. Stephens, director of the Garrett County Office for Children, Youth and Families, Inc.

April has been designated as Child Abuse Prevention Month. The following is the first in a series of articles sponsored by the Garrett County Children and Family Council.

Most children in Garrett County are healthy, happy, and secure. They have families that are warm, loving, and caring. Their childhood is filled with learning, dreaming, and growing; while their future is full of hope and promise. These children are our future, as they will become the leaders of tomorrow, and will, with guidance, become competent and caring parents.

There are, however, a small minority of children who are in harm's way. These children may look just like all other children. A closer look will reveal that they may not be healthy, they probably are not happy, and in most cases are not secure. These children are abused and neglected. They come from all backgrounds and socio-economic groups. Many of their parents will maintain that their families are warm, loving, and caring families. These children are also our future. They will in some cases, with the right guidance, become competent and caring parents. The problem is that many will not.

In Garrett County last year the Department of Social Services had 57 reports of child abuse and 105 reports of child neglect. This is probably only a small portion of the actual number of abuse and neglect cases in the county. Experts in the field note that only 25% to 50% of all child abuse fatalities occur in families known to child protection agencies. This statistic makes you wonder if less than half of the families where a child is killed are known to authorities, then how many more cases of less severe, chronic abuse go unreported.

Child abuse is also a national tragedy. The National Committee for Prevention of Child Abuse reports that "in 1980, there were more than 2.5 million reports of child abuse, an increase of more than 30% since 1985 and 100% since 1980." Although in recent years a great deal of attention has been given to child abuse that takes place in public settings, less than 2% of reported abuse cases took place in a foster care or child care setting. What all of this means is that child abuse is on the increase, and primarily it is on the increase in family homes.

Understanding the people who abuse children is the first step in the prevention of child abuse. There is no "typical" profile for a child abuser. They come from all economic, ethnic, and social groups. Most are ordinary people not unlike yourself, who are having personal problems. Very few are mentally ill. Most know and even love their victim yet they harm them because of their inability to cope with the many pressures and strains occurring in their lives such as marital problems, financial troubles, illness, and/or alcohol and drug abuse. Some have a history of being abused themselves and may grow up thinking that abusive behavior is "normal." Others suffer from low self-esteem, or just lack the knowledge of parenting skills which could help them cope with their child's behavior.

If you are an abuser, or if you are afraid because you sometimes lose your cool with your children, the most important thing to do is confide in someone. Surprisingly, you will find that most people have at times felt like they have lost control and may be able to help you. The following is a list of some of the formal resources available in Garrett County both for the protection of victims and to help obtain help for abusers, or potential abusers.

Hotlines - These offer emergency help, information, referral services, and more: the Garrett County Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Center the number is 334-5900, for after-hours help, call 911, or the National Child Abuse Hotline at 1-800-422-4453.

Child Protective Services - This is a state agency that handles child abuse reports and takes steps to protect the victims of child abuse or neglect. Garrett County Department of Social Services's number is 334-5405.

Counseling Services - Various private and public counseling services which can help both the victim and the abuser. Contact Garrett County Health Department at 334-1216.

complex and intertwined that it will be impossible to know where to begin first. The problems of society at large will eventually come in the schoolhouse door with the children. Right now in Baltimore County and across the state, school staffs are dealing with the effects of drugs, AIDS, family problems, violence, etc. Society is not the same; our students and their families are not the same; what we are expected to teach is not the same; and methods are not the same. And yet these budget cuts imply that we are to do the same but with less money and the resources it buys.

The examples listed above are the realities of today and schools have no control over these situations. But our local boards of education and the State Board of Education are determined to barrel on ahead as if nothing has changed. The ultimate example of an "ostrich at work" is the State Board of Education and its insistence that we fund the highly controversial Maryland School Performance Program with funds taken from

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An Update From The Superintendent

By
Dr. Jerome Ryscavage, Superintendent
Of Garrett County Public Schools

The School Drop-Out

There are ten goals which the State of Maryland has set for the public schools to be attained by the year 2000. Two of these goals have to do with the completion of school. One, 95% of all Maryland's students will receive a high school diploma and will be prepared for post-secondary education, employment, or both. Second, 90% of Maryland's students who drop out of school will secure a high school diploma by age 25. For the 1989-91 school year our drop-out rate was 3.5%. The state as a whole had a drop-out rate of 4.3% for the same year. The drop-out rate is defined as the percent of students in grades nine through 12 who withdrew from school before graduation or before completing a Maryland-approved educational program during the July through June academic year.

The answer to the question of why young people drop out of school is a complex one. I would like to suggest two thoughts. First, the problem is not confined to the high school years, although that is where the drop-out statistic is determined. The problem begins early with youngsters wherein things like their self-esteem are not cultivated to a point at which they feel good about what they are doing in school. Consequently, by the time they get to the "quitting" or drop-out age they are only too ready to leave. The second point is that much of the youngsters' feelings are formed by what we expect of them. In particular, if parents do not work together with schools in communicating consistently high expectations many youngsters will be inclined to take the easy way out.

In our Garrett County schools we are trying to meet this problem in several ways. Beginning at the elementary level we have tried to implement an elementary guidance program which, together with the way our elementary teachers individualize instruction, will build self-esteem in students. At the middle school level we continue to try to organize to individualize instruction through teaming of teachers, but also begin to provide special programs like the Continuum for Personal Adjustment (CPA) which deals with those high risk for drop-out children who may have severe emotional problems. At the high school level we continue the CPA program, but also provide the Maryland Tomorrow program which is especially designed for students with other high indicators of dropping out, such as failing grades, poor attendance, or low grade point averages. In addition, we of course try to work closely with youngsters who may have substance abuse problems, who may be pregnant, or have other problems which could lead to dropping out of school. Finally, we do provide an evening school opportunity for those individuals who have already dropped out - this program, therefore, is an attempt to get a high school diploma in the hands of all those by age 25 even though they may have dropped out.

We feel that we are making progress in that our drop-out rate for the 1989-90 school year was 4.4% while the past school year (1990-91) has improved to 3.5%. Hopefully, we can keep going in a positive direction, but it may not be easy.

The Garrett County Schools Update can be heard each week on WMSG Radio at 8:35 a.m. each Monday, WXIE Radio at 8:30 a.m. each Saturday, and at 3:30 p.m. each Saturday on WAIL Radio.

What's happening in our schools this week?

* This week marks the end of the third marking period for elementary and high school students. Parents should be expecting report cards shortly and we ask them to review these reports closely with their youngsters.

* Two weeks ago the Southern High School career and technology class in food service began serving a self-serve, all-you-can-eat breakfast and fruit bar. The breakfast bar is only open to faculty and staff at Southern High School, but it helps provide a realistic opportunity for these students to produce and manage a food service program.

* Also concerning food service, the United States Department of Agriculture will be conducting an on-site survey at the Broad Ford Elementary School on April 8. They will be talking with students and parents about their eating habits as part of a nation-wide survey.

* A Math Week is planned for Red House Elementary School the week of April 6. Numerous math activities will reinforce the theme of "Submerged in Mathematics."

* The DEAR (Drop Everything And Read) Program begins at the Kitzmiller School the week of April 6 and extends for nine weeks. This is a program designed for the whole family to read together for at least fifteen minutes, five out of seven nights each week, every week. At the end of each three-week period books will be awarded to each family who meets this goal.

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dent, on Friday, April 3, beginning at 7:30 p.m. The public is invited.

MISCELLANEOUS

A spaghetti dinner sponsored by the Mt. Storm Presbyterian youth group, will be held at the Mt. Storm (W.Va.) fire hall, Saturday, April 4, from 4-7 p.m. Cost is \$4/adults and \$2/children, aged 12 and under.

AAWP Chapter #779 will meet Wed., April 8, at 1 p.m. at the Oakland fire hall. All seniors are invited to attend.

Installation of officers for American Legion Post 208, Accident, will be held April 10, at 8 p.m., at the Legion Hall. All members are requested to be present.

The Western Maryland Coin Club's semi-annual Coin Show will be held Saturday, April 11, and Sunday, April 12, in the LaVale fire hall, 423 National Highway, U.S. Route #40 (3 miles west of Cumberland), LaVale. Admission to the show is free. Hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday, and 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sunday.

Overeaters Anonymous meets at St. Matthew's Episcopal Church, Oakland, every Thursday, at 7 p.m. Participants are asked to use the side door of the church on Second Street.

The Battered Women Survivors Group will meet every other Tuesday at 6:30 p.m. at 107 South Second St., Office No. 6. For more information, contact the Domestic Violence/Sexual Assault Information Center at 301-334-9000.

The Al-Anon Group will meet Monday, at 125 Liberty Street, Oakland.

Community Calendar

CLUB MEETING
The Meadow Glade Homemakers' Club will meet Thursday, April 9, at 10 a.m., at the Extension office in Oakland.

CHURCH
The Rosedale Chorale from Irwin, Ohio, will perform at the Cherry Glade Mennonite Church, Acci-

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ARBOR DAY

Wednesday, April 1, marks the 109th year that Marylanders have celebrated Arbor Day. Garrett County Project Forester Ernie Metz is reminding county residents that the first Wednesday in April is always Arbor Day in Maryland and it's a good time to start thinking about spring and tree planting.

The many trees and seedlings that are planted on Arbor Day really focus attention on the values of our trees and forests," commented Metz. It's important to plant trees every year so that future generations can enjoy their beauty, appreciate their ability to reduce soil erosion, moderate temperature and wind, and provide wood fiber, wildlife habitat and recreation opportunities.

Each year to help commemorate Arbor Day, the Department of Natural Resources, Resource Conservation Service - Forestry Division, gives pine seedlings to public school third graders. Working with the cooperation of the county school system, the seedlings are distributed to the children with the hope that the young pine trees will be planted, nurtured and recognized as important renewable resources. Trees planted on Arbor Day help bring attention to a resource essential to our quality of life.

For adult or child, Arbor Day is a good time to reflect on the importance of planting trees for the future. Forest landowners are encouraged to contact the Department of Natural Resources, Resource Conservation Service - Forestry Division, at Mt. Nebo Work Center, Route 4, Box 1190, Oakland, MD 21550, or call 334-3326 for free information about how managing forestland can benefit them and the environment.

Manage trees, enjoy and use trees, and continue to plant more trees for tomorrow.

Senior Citizens' Menus

"Eating Together" sites which operate two days per week will use Day 1 and Day 2. The menu for the week of April 6-10 is as follows:

Day 1 - Tomato aspic on lettuce bed, chicken w/mushrooms and gravy, rice, peas, wheat bread, apricots.
Day 2 - Tossed salad w/carrots, spaghetti w/meat sauce, garlic bread, spicy summer fruit.

Day 3 - Apple juice, macaroni and cheese, vegetable casserole, corn muffin, melon balls or fruit cocktail.
Milk, coffee, and tea are served with all meals.

On occasion, a site may opt to make a substitution in the menu. Senior citizens who wish to eat at one of the "Eating Together" sites are asked to call the individual site to check the menu for the day and to make reservations.

Clean Car Bill Dead This Year

The Senate Judicial Proceedings Committee last week voted down a bill that would have required Maryland vehicles to produce 75 percent fewer pollutants, making Maryland's emission standards equal to California's tough standards.

Reports indicate, however, that the bill will be revived again next year and will probably have more backing then, since tailpipe emissions contribute significantly to ozone depletion and the Baltimore metropolitan area has the nation's sixth worst ground-level ozone problem.

Battered Women Bill Weakened By House Comm.

The House Judiciary Committee this week approved a bill designed to expand the rights of battered women but reportedly weakened it with amendments because they said it did not protect the rights of men.

The bill was already approved by the full Senate and would still allow battered women to seek civil protection orders making their abusers vacate their home for up to six months and allowing wives to seek temporary financial support for themselves and their children.

The bill was weakened with amendments because some legislators reportedly contended that women would seek more relief than they are entitled to under the original bill.

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Delegate Edwards is the ranking Republican member of the Appropriations Committee, and co-chairman of the Joint Committee on Program Open Space. He also serves on the Subcommittee on Health and The Environment, and Capital Budget Subcommittee, and is chairman of the Program Open Space/Agricultural Land Preservation Subcommittee.

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Senator Hafer is a member of the Senate Finance Committee.

Please call local offices for district concerns and Annapolis offices for legislative concerns.

Corporal Punishment Ban Passed By Senate

The full Senate voted, 27-19, this week to ban corporal punishment in the rural Maryland counties where it is still allowed, making it a statewide ban. The bill will now go to the House of Delegates where it is expected to be approved.

Only five counties still allow corporal punishment. They are Cecil, Queen Anne's, Somerset, Wicomico and Worcester.

Speed Limit Bill Killed

The Senate this week killed a bill that would have raised the speed limit on

interstate highways from 55 mph to 65 mph. This was the second year the proposal has been under the advisement of the Maryland General Assembly, with a similar bill having been proposed by District 1-A Delegate George C. Edwards last year and winning the approval of the assembly. The bill was then vetoed by the governor, however.

Opponents of the bill contend that highway deaths would be increased if the speed limit was raised but proponents have argued that speed alone does not result in more accidents.

Growth Bill Passed By Senate Comm.

A growth management bill was unanimously approved last week by a Senate Committee, after being amended from the version that was approved by the House of Delegates.

The bill now seeks to require consistency in local development ordinances and omits the language that had specified local governments not be required to implement growth plans if they were financially unable to do so.

The amended form of the bill is reportedly more palatable to environmentalists who have said the measure does not go far enough in containing growth and protecting the environment.

The original bill (HB 195 - The Economic Growth and Resource Act of 1992) places the task of protecting growth and the Chesapeake Bay in the hands of local governments, allowing them to designate their own sensitive areas and protect them, provided they are financially

able to do so. The bill also calls for each local jurisdiction to update its comprehensive growth plan by 1997.

Senate Defeats Assault Gun Ban

The Senate Judicial Proceedings committee last week killed an amendment to a reportedly unrelated gun bill that would have banned some 48 assault weapons.

According to reports, the amendment was tacked on to the gun bill in an effort to resurrect the administration's assault gun ban, voted down by the Senate committee earlier this month.

Leadership Academy To Hold Conference This Weekend In Pa.

The Mon Valley Tri-State Leadership Academy will hold an orientation conference at Nemacolin Woodlands, Farmington Pa., on April 3 and 4. The conference will provide participants with an overview of the leadership academy, its vision for the Mon Valley and a chance to meet with instructors and other participants. The classes, set to begin April 6, are designed to strengthen the skills of potential community and economic development leaders.

The academy curriculum will consist of four modules which will provide participants with an in-depth view of the valley's socio-economic and institutional settings. Interactive instruction will give participants the skills, concepts and analytical tools they need to intervene effectively as leaders. Sessions in each module meet weekly for ten evenings; four modules will be scheduled over a period of two years.

According to Garrett County Director of Economic Development Tom Jones, the classes will be taught by a "top-notch group" of instructors, including Garrett Community College President Dr. Stephen Horman.

In order to serve the entire tri-state region, modules will be taught at four sites: Morgantown, W. Va. (West Virginia University), Pittsburgh, Pa. (University of Pittsburgh), Uniontown, Pa. (Penn State - Fayette Campus), and McHenry and Cumberland (Garrett Community College and Allegany Community College). Additional sites may be added upon demand.

The leadership academy is a project of the Mon Valley Tri-State Network. The network is an independent, non-profit leadership organization of volunteers committed to cooperative economic and human resource development in the Monongahela River Valley. The Mon Valley is a 7,400-square-mile, 18-county region shared by Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Maryland.

Dr. Paul F. Fendt, director, is a nationally known authority on adult learning and continuing education. He comes from East Tennessee State University where he was Dean of the School of Continuing Studies and an associate professor of education. His educational career of more than 25 years also includes teaching and administrative positions at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, North Carolina State University, and Duke University.

The Mon Valley Tri-State Leadership Academy is funded by a grant from the W.K. Kellogg Foundation and planned by nine valley institutions of higher education including Allegany Community College, California University of Pennsylvania, Fairmont State College, Garrett Community College, Penn State University (Fayette Campus), University of Pittsburgh, Washington and Jefferson College, Wayneburg College, and West Virginia University.

Persons interested in information regarding the Academy, should write the Mon Valley Tri-State Leadership Academy office, c/o West Virginia University, 112 White Hall, Morgantown, W. Va., 26506, or call (304) 293-2552.

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Health Dept.

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when combined with a smoking cessation program, such as "Smoke Stoppers," offered locally by the Wellness Together program.

Currently, the patches are relatively expensive, at about \$55 to \$60 for a two week supply, and there is also a nationwide shortage of the product.

Although it is not yet known if a grant will be available to help pay for the nicotine patch program, Archer stated that monies might well be applied from the proposed state tax increase on cigarettes. Archer hopes the program will be in place by this summer.

In other news from the health department, Dr. Archer and Johanna Younger, Garrett County Mental Health Director, met with the Garrett County Commissioners this week to seek their approval in the purchasing of two vans to transport members of Lighthouse, a center for community rehabilitation of chronically mentally handicapped individuals.

Archer and Younger reported that the vans will cost \$18,000 each and will be needed for those individuals who do not have their own transportation. Community Action had been providing that transportation but will no longer be able to because



A \$1,000 DONATION was recently presented by the Highland Thrift Shop in Grantsville to the Northern Garrett County Rescue Squad. Making the presentation to squad member Doris Beal, pictured right, was Joyce Branneman, chairman of the board of directors of Highland Thrift Shop. The funds will be used to help defray the expense of the hepatitis-B vaccine for the members of the squad.

of funding cuts, effective this week. Garrett County Director of Community Action Duane Yoder, however, told the commissioners that he hopes to fight that cut and reinstate the service.

Younger stated that the money to be used for the van purchases is coming from a state grant.

Younger also explained to the commissioners that a full-time mental health center is being planned for Grantsville in the near future in an effort to make services more accessible to people at the northern end of the county.

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Local Senior Art Competition Judges Named



RON SKIDMORE

The Garrett County Area Agency on Aging has selected three local artists to act as judges for the "Maryland You Are Beautiful" Senior Citizens Art Competition. The distinguished panel includes Ron Skidmore, Sonia Pratt, and Ken Bauer.

Skidmore, who has a B.S. in art education from Frostburg State University and an M.F.A. in printmaking from West Virginia University, is the associate professor of art at Garrett Community College. He has been instructing art for over 10 years and also coordinates the Bausch and Lomb Art Gallery at GCC.

A graduate of Fairmont State College with a B.A. in art education, Pratt instructs art at Southern High School. Her work has been exhibited regionally. She is a member of the Art Company of Davis, an artist co-op.

Ken Bauer, a working artist, graduated from the University of North Carolina with a B.A. in art education and a B.A. in intermediate education. Bauer was a finalist in the Maryland Duck Stamp Competition and his "Hidden Treasure" was purchased by the Ward Foundation Museum.

The deadline for the Senior Citizens Arts Competition coordinated by the Area Agency on Aging and the Garrett County Commission is April 30. Persons age 60 or over may enter in one of three categories: painting (works on paper or canvas), woodcarving (no furniture), or ceramics (handcrafted pottery only).

The panel of judges will select first-place winners in



SONIA PRATT



KEN BAUER

each of the three entry categories and a "Best of Show" from among the top three winners. The "Best of Show" will represent Garrett County at the governor's statewide awards ceremony in Baltimore City.

For contest rules or more information, interested persons may call the Area Agency on Aging at 334-5856.

ARMED SERVICES REVIEW

David R. Ison, son of Arlie and Nancy Ison, Mtn. Lake Park, has enlisted in the U.S. Army Reserve.

A student at Southern High School, Ison will receive a \$1500 bonus because he chose to enlist for six years as a military policeman with a specific Reserve unit. He will also be eligible to receive up to \$5,040 in future educational benefits through the G.I. Bill, and to participate in the Student Loan Repayment Program, worth up to \$10,000.

Following basic and advanced training at Ft. McClellan, Ala., Ison will be assigned to the 372nd Military Police Company located



PACK 70 EVENTS - Cub Scout Pack 70 has been busy with various activities recently. Among the activities were a two-night camp-over at Camp Potomac for two-year Webelos and the Pack's annual Pinewood Derby. Shown above are the Webelos who participated in the camp that included an eight-mile hike along the C&O Canal, Scott Shillingburg, Cherlie Nolen, Phillip Reame, Michael Dehus, Chris Friend, Keith Parks, Matt Kmiecik, and Josh Teets. Adults shown are Chuck Teets, Tim Sweitzer, and Mike Dehus. Cubmaster Carl Friend attended, but was the photographer. Shown below in the foreground are the winners of the Pack 70 Pinewood Derby, left to right, Mike Dehus, first place, Den #5; Keith Parks, second place, Den #5; Matthew Vecchioni, third place, Den #6; and Chris Friend, fourth place, Den #5. Standing with the boys is Cubmaster Carl Friend. The derby was held March 20 at Broad Ford Elementary School with 32 scouts participating.

in Cumberland.

Ison's recruiter is Staff Sergeant Vickie Fearon of the LaVale Army Recruiting Station.



P.F.C. Jerry Lee Uphold, son of Danny and Ruth Uphold, Accident, enlisted in the United States Marine Corps in May 1991 and has since completed two different programs of training: basic training, which consisted of 13 weeks at Parris Island, S.C., and Marine combat training, which consisted of four weeks at Camp Geiger, N.C. He graduated from basic training January 31 and from Marine combat training March 9.

He is currently attending 10 weeks of engineer school at Court House Bay, Camp Lejeune, N.C., for training in the field of heavy equipment, maintenance, and operations.

Uphold is a 1991 graduate of Northern Garrett County High School.

U.S. Marine Lance Cpl. Arthur E. Strahin, son of Arthur E. and Karen A. Strahin, Route 2, Terra Alta, W. Va., recently returned with 22nd Marine Expeditionary Unit, based at Camp Lejeune, N.C., following a six-month deployment to the Arabian Gulf.

He participated in various operations and exercises with the Marine detachment embarked aboard the three



ships of an Amphibious Ready Group.

Strahin took part in Operation "Eager Mace," which involved more than 7,000 service members and was the first major U.S. Kuwait joint/combined service exercise of the post war period.

He had the opportunity to visit several countries including Spain, Bahrain, Kuwait, the United Arab Emirates, Egypt and Israel.

Strahin is a 1989 graduate of East Preston Senior High School.

Thomas D. Durst, son of Joseph and Sandra Yoder, Rt. 2, Grantsville, has enlisted in the U.S. Army Reserve.

A senior at Northern High School, Durst will receive a \$1500 bonus because he chose to enlist for six years as a military policeman with a specific Reserve unit. He will also be eligible to receive up to \$5,040 in future educational benefits through the G.I. Bill, and to participate in the Student Loan Repayment Program, worth up to \$10,000.

Following basic and advanced training at Ft. McClellan, Ala., Durst will be assigned to the 372nd Military Police Company located in Cumberland.

Durst's recruiter is Sergeant First Class Kenneth Poland of the LaVale Army Recruiting Station.

Pvt. Tonya L. Shreve has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions.

Shreve is the daughter of William L. and Sonja A. Shreve, Route 2, Oakland. She is a 1990 graduate of Southern High School.

Retired School Workers To Meet

The Preston County Association of Retired School Employees will meet Tuesday, April 14, at noon at the Reedsville United Methodist Church.

Reservations, for which the deadline is April 9, may be made by contacting Mrs. Margaret White, P.O. Box 422, Reedsville, WV 26647; telephone 864-3316.

Delegate David Miller will report on legislation that has been enacted or is still under consideration by the state legislature. Legislative Chairman Mary A. Borgman will conduct a survey.

Curran Issues Caution About Unlicensed Clubs

Urging consumers to steer clear of health clubs, weight loss centers, and self-defense schools that have failed to comply with Maryland's health club law, Attorney General J. Joseph Curran Jr., this week issued a list of all the facilities that have legally registered with the Consumer Protection Division of his office as of March 27 and therefore are qualified to do business in the state.

The only two licensed clubs in Garrett County are Brenda's Body Shop and The Board Room, Oakland.

Curran also said that charges have been filed this week against health clubs in Anne Arundel, Carroll and Prince George's counties that have failed to comply with the state's registration requirements. His office is continuing its investigation of other facilities believed to be violating the law, he added.

Curran noted that health clubs, weight loss centers, and self-defense schools in Maryland received a registration packet from his office last June and were required to register with his office no later than September 1.

"If a health club you're considering is not on this list, it is not in compliance with Maryland law and you could lose money if you join it," Curran warned.

In addition to requiring that each such business register with the Consumer Protection Division of the Attorney General's Office, the health club law prohibits businesses from collecting initiation fees of more than \$200 or more than three months' payment in advance unless the business had posted a surety bond to protect consumers' payments should the facility shut down or never open, Curran said.

All other businesses are prohibited from collecting such advance payments, the Attorney General added.

The maximum bond that any club has to post is \$200,000, Curran explained, so even if a club posts the maximum bond and then closes, consumers may receive only a partial refund.

"If you are planning to purchase more than a three-month membership at a facility that has posted the maximum bond, ask the owners what percentage of your payment will be protected by the bond in case the club closes," Curran said.

Since the state's health club law was enacted in 1982 and enforcement of it by the Attorney General's Office began, more than \$600,000 has been returned to consumers whose health clubs closed or did not open, Curran said. Today, the Health Clubs Registration Unit of Curran's office oversees more than \$8 million in security posted by such facilities to protect the advance payments by members, the Attorney General said.



THE NEW ADMINISTRATIVE COORDINATOR for the Garrett Community College Foundation is Colleen G. Nordeck, pictured above with Dr. Steve Harman, GCC president. Ms. Nordeck, a certified financial planner, will serve in this position as a volunteer. See story for details.

Colleen Nordeck Named To GCC Foundation Post

Colleen G. Nordeck, a recently elected member of the Board of Directors of the Garrett Community College Foundation, has volunteered to become the Foundation's administrative coordinator. Her offer of volunteer service in this capacity was recently approved by the Foundation's Board of Directors, and Nordeck has "begun to apply her considerable experience and talent to the job," according to a Foundation spokesman.

Ms. Nordeck recently moved to Garrett County from southern Pennsylvania. A certified financial planner, she was trust officer with the Gallatin National Bank of

Uniontown for seven years; a district justice for the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania for three years; and a court stenographer in Fayette County for seven years.

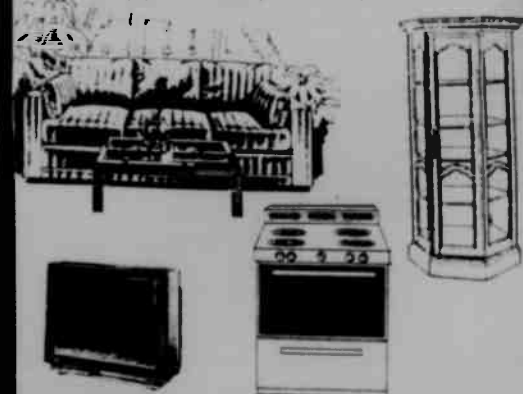
Ms. Nordeck attended the College for Financial Planning in Colorado where she learned her credential as a certified financial planner. She is a member of the Institute of Financial Planners. Previously she served as executive director for a non-profit health center. She acquired her specific experience with college foundations as a volunteer for the California University of Pennsylvania Foundation.

Presently she is a financial planner for Butcher and Singer in Oakland, where she assists clients in investing and managing their funds and in tax, estate, and retirement planning.

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Cannons To Lead Local Witness Mission



Dr. Walton W. Cannon and his wife, Winona, are coordinating a local Lay Witness Mission this weekend at St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Oakland.

Dr. Cannon retired in 1983 after serving a 10-year term as chairman of the department of engineering at West Virginia University. Prior to that he taught electrical engineering for 28 years at the University of Arkansas, Virginia Tech, and WVU.

Dr. and Mrs. Cannon have been actively involved in church work for over 50 years and have been active in the Lay Witness Mission program as witnesses and as coordinators since 1972. They have served in missions throughout eight states and have coordinated missions in South Africa, Northern Ireland, Scotland, England, the Philippines, Hong Kong, Brazil, and Germany.

For more information about the lay witness mission, persons may contact St. Paul's United Methodist Church at 334-2391 or come to the church Friday evening or anytime Saturday. Activities are planned throughout the weekend and the public is invited to attend.

Concert By FSU Jazz Ensemble Slated Saturday

A concert of big band jazz will be performed by the Frostburg State University Jazz Ensemble under the direction of Dr. Jon Bauman this Saturday, April 4, at 8 p.m. in the auditorium of Beall High School. The event is free and open to the public.

The program begins with a modern selection by Leslie Drayton, "Making Ends Meet," that features Danny Welch, trombone, Kelly King, alto saxophone and Terry Horner, guitar with solos. Woody Herman's arrangement of the jazz classic

"Come Fly With Me" will spotlight Eric Kitchen in a piano solo.

"Hannah's Blues" showcases the trombone section and a solo by Dave Kauffman on Tenor sax, while "Keepin' Track Of The Time" features solos by Will Vogtman, tenor sax, Bill Dundy, trumpet and Mark Ahby, trombone.

A selection from the Count Basie band, "Basie's Back In Town," also includes solos by Kitchen, Vogtman, and Kauffman and a ballad, "Slow Dancin'," features Kauffman playing soprano sax.

An outrageous funk tune, "While You're Down There," follows with solos by Kelly King, alto sax, and Terry Horner, guitar. Bringing the program to a close is "Cruisin' For A Blusin'" from the library of the Maynard Ferguson Band. J. Upton, alto sax, Will Vogtman, tenor sax, Khristyn Petruzzelli, trumpet, and Matt Nelson, drums, have solos.

Consumer Credit And Collections Class Scheduled

A class for those responsible for issuing credit and collecting money will be held at Garrett Community College from 6 to 9:30 p.m. on Wednesday, April 22. The class is designed for business owners, credit managers, and billing personnel.

Key topics for the class will be: determining if credit

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should be part of one's business; protection measures when giving credit; developing a credit policy and application; how to write collection letters; maintaining healthy accounts receivables; how to make collection telephone calls; recognizing danger signals; fair debt collection practices act; state and federal laws; the psychology of credit and collection; overcoming objections to paying bills; and skip tracing location information.

The presenter for this class is Lee Castro, director of marketing and public relations for Ace Adjustment Service. He has over 20 years of experience in credit and collections, marketing, and public relations. He has presented many credit workshops in Maryland and West Virginia.

The class is being sponsored by the Western Maryland Small Business Development Center and GCC.

Those wishing to register should contact the Continuing Education Division of Garrett Community College at 387-6666, ext. 169, or the GCC Small Business Development Center at 180.

Energy Assistance Deadline Extended

The Community Action Fuel Assistance intake period has been extended through April 16, according to a Community Action Committee spokesman.

Persons who have not received fuel assistance since October 1, 1991, and who fall within the program's income guidelines may be eligible to receive help with energy needs. The maximum gross annual income levels range from \$9,930 for a household size of one family member to \$30,270 for a family of seven.

The spokesman said it is not necessary to have an appointment. Persons may apply for assistance Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. at the Community Action Office at 360 West Liberty Street, Oakland. For more information, persons may call 334-9431.

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Weight Loss Surprises Researchers

WASHINGTON — A Nutrition Foundation study was hopeful that a nutritionally complete "food tablet" would help ease weight problems, until a study revealed that one of the ingredients could cause significant weight loss.

Although other studies and scientists may not agree, researchers in Europe found that the ingredient, a natural plant colloid, actually caused people to lose weight, even though specifically instructed not to alter normal eating patterns, according to a study published in the prestigious British Journal of Nutrition. Researchers in an earlier study had speculated that the weight loss was due to a decrease in the intestinal absorption of calories.

While the development of the product called Food Source One, a project of National Dietary Research, would not be used to successfully fulfill its original goal, the formula which has since been improved with other natural colloids has been a windfall for overweight people. A Daytona Beach, Florida woman fighting a weight battle for 12 years used the product on the recommendation of her physician and lost 10 pounds. She stated, "Not only have I lost 10 pounds but my cholesterol dropped from 212 to 143. I have two closets full of clothes which have not fit me in two years that I can now wear." In a separate report a telephone interview revealed that a Wilmington, North Carolina pharmacist lost 14 pounds in 1 week on the product and was never hungry.

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VARIETY SHOW PARTICIPANTS - The Dennett Road Elementary School recently hosted a variety show featuring several students. Shown above are participants in various categories in grades kindergarten through second. In the first row, left to right, are Holly Reese, Andrew Hill, Tommy Dunbar, Timothy Dimick, Holl Anderson, Maria Dimick, Erin Oxford, Amanda Frazee, and Rebecca Archer. In the second row, same order, are Christopher Stover, Miriam Sincell, Twila Ashby, Tabitha Dimick, Joshua Harris, Bart Shaffer, Chris Lentz, and Megan Burner. In the third row, same order, are Patrick Murray, Erica Lillar, Ashley Tasker, Ben Stone, Becky Martin, Cole Fontalbert, Kimberly Matras, Ashley Herahman, and Carrie Treasler. In the fourth row, same order, are Holl Harris, Molly Thayer, Gine Reeves, Edward Martinez, Ashley Lillar, Jennifer Bosley, Nick Keckley.

Southern Middle School Honor Students Named

The fourth term honor roll for Southern Middle School was released this week by John A. Rickman, principal.

Students named to the all-A honor roll for achieving at least 90 percent in all

subjects were:

GRADE SIX

Victoria Ackerman, Leigh Ann Bowyer, Brittney Decker, Rachel Farmer, Carrie Filsinger, Julie Giotfelty, Stacy Lewis, Daniel Lucas, Tabitha Naylor, Alison Rudy, and Jacquelyn Stanley.

GRADE SEVEN

Jennifer Barnard, Evelyn Bittinger, James

Brown, Melanie Cook, Meghan Dabney, Ryan Fike, Sarah Fike, Paul Howdyshell, Lauren Newcomb, Sindy Niner, Janice Plauger, Christy Reams, Nathan Rickman, Misty Rodeheaver, Kimberly Rosenthal, Joy Sisler, Tracy Upole, and Heather Wolfe.

GRADE EIGHT

Bowley, Christian Coviello, Julie Eiswert, Todd Gibson, Todd Howard, Jaime Jacoby, Erin Long, Mandy Rush, Angela Shafer, Kristi Stemple, Jason Sweitzer, and Andrew Woods.

Students named to the regular honor roll for earning at least 80 percent in all subjects were:

GRADE SIX

Kendra Alexander, Steven Allison, Erin Ball, George Beckman, Jason Bernard, Rishi Bhatnager, Michael Bittinger, Danny Boyce, Brian Brown, Aaron Cline, Joseph Collins, Mark Corby.

Francesca Coviello, Donnelle Dick, Darrick Dove, Scott Elliott, Brandon Ferguson, Heather Flores, Jennifer R. Friend, Jody Friend, Lindsay Garria, Molly Gaster, Karlo Geaner, Jessica Getson.

James Gill, Andrew Granke, Kristina Green, Jamie Grubb, Brooks Hamilton, Cambria Harman, Andrew Harvey, Heather Harvey, Joshua Helbig, Kristal Hinebaugh, Christy Hoalcraft, Nicole Jones.

Laura Jordan, Valerie Kight, Tina Knox, Rachel Lane, David Lantz, Crystal Lipcomb, Meredith Martin, Karen Mayle, Mariah McBee, Erin McClive, Melissa McCloud, Janet McCrobie, Jeffrey McDaniel.

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GRADE SEVEN

Kandi Ashby, Jared Beckman, Derek Berger, Ary Bosley, Adam Chorpenn, Amanda Corby, Eric Cosner, Howard Crocco, David Deem, Joseph Dever, Brian DeWitt, Crystal Duncan.

Lisa Elliott, James Evan, Patrick Forman, Brandon Frantz, Melissa Hauser, Justin Helbig, Adam Herbert, Abby Herschman, Terri Holtschneider, Erica Johnson, Sarah Jonson, Jennifer Kmiecik, Elizabeth Lee.

Anna Marc, Kimberly McBride, Amanda Mountain, Sarah Murray, Abigail Nichols, Aaron Panicho, Matthew Paugh, Susan Paugh, Shane Perry, Rita Powell, Rodney Reckart, Megan Redinger.

Matthew Rhodes, Nicholas Rohrbaugh, Kristie Sausman, Andy Severe, Brandy Shaluta, Kandice Shomo, Matthew Sincell, Scott Sines, Joy Sisler, Amanda Spiker, Shannon Spurrier, Erica Stahl.

Erin Steyer, Aaya Stamak, T.D. Stuck, Andrea Sweitzer, Joseph Swerbin, Ryan Stral, Joshua Teets, Paul Tepper, Jason Thayer, Thomas Uphold, Matthew Whitacre, and Holly Wilson.

GRADE EIGHT

Kevin Andrews, Michael Armstrong, Megan Batista, Cobenn Bolden, Kimberly Crossland, Victoria Donham, Erika Durat, Joshua Elmlinger, Lori Evans, Hillary Garris.

Joel Getty, Stephen Goralaki, Ronda Guthrie, Jennifer Harvey, Mary Kate Hudson, Nikolai James, Christopher Jones, Frank Kratofil, David Lucas, Miranda Marple, Nathan McBee, Carla Miller, Danny Murphy.

Jessica Murray, Daniel Nelson, Steven Shreve, Daniel Skipper, Betsy Spiker, Rebekah Spiker, Krysta Stacy, Robert Swiger, Katrina Thayer, and Jason Wood.

Literacy Council To Sponsor Training Event

The Literacy Council of Garrett County will hold a tutor training event in the Grantsville area on Saturday, April 4 and 11 at St. Paul's United Methodist Church. The scheduled hours for the training sessions are from 9:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. each day.

During the training sessions volunteers will learn how to use the "Lambach Way to Reading" to teach adult non-readers. All volunteer tutors with the literacy council must complete the 12-hour training course in order to be certified to teach the adult non-reader.

Persons interested in attending the training session may pre-register by calling 301-334-8808. There is no cost for the course, but persons should bring a packed lunch. All persons are invited to attend and learn to teach others how to read.

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WOW HELPS HABITAT - Woodman of the World, Lodge 11, recently donated \$724 to Garrett County Habitat for Humanity. The donation was part of a fraternal service project. The donation will provide vinyl siding, outside corners, "J" channel, underlath, starter strip and nails for a house being constructed by Habitat for Humanity. John Sines, right, president of Lodge 11, is shown presenting a check to Donald Little, Habitat project coordinator.

Goldstein Says 820,000 State Refunds Mailed

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein said that his office had mailed more than 820,000 state income tax refunds to taxpayers as of March 30, 1992. The average refund is now \$348. "Our refund mailings are 6% ahead of last year, partly because taxpayers are filing earlier this year," Goldstein said.

The comptroller urged the estimated 300,000 taxpayers due refunds who have not yet filed their tax returns that they should consider filing their state return electronically with a qualified tax preparer.

"Filing your state return electronically means your refund check will be on its way within a week - instead of the several weeks it takes to process a paper refund at this stage in the filing season," Goldstein said. "To find the name and address of tax preparers in your area who are qualified to file federal and state returns electronically, call our statewide toll-free assistance number, 1-800-MDTAXES or the Maryland income tax office listed in your local telephone directory."

Goldstein reminded taxpayers still working on their returns to take advantage of

extra hours of free state tax help during the upcoming weekend.

All Maryland income tax offices will remain open to help taxpayers on Saturday, April 4, and Saturday, April 11, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. Taxpayers can also get help over the telephone on two Monday evenings, April 6 and April 13, and Tuesday evening, April 14, from 5 until 7 p.m.

"We offer these extra hours of assistance as a convenience for taxpayers who work during the week. Taxpayers who want their Maryland returns completed free of charge should bring a completed copy of their federal return and all W-2 statements

to any Maryland income tax office to take advantage of this free service," Goldstein said.

Comptroller Goldstein offered a few pointers to taxpayers still working on their returns, noting that tax returns filed close to the April 15 deadline usually have more errors than those filed earlier: double-check all calculations; enter the total dollar amount of your personal exemptions on line 58; if you're claiming the standard deduction, use the correct worksheet for your filing status to determine the amount of your standard deduction; use the preprinted address label (if it's correct); if itemizing deductions, remember to attach a copy of your federal Schedule A; attach your W-2 statements and a check or money order for any state tax due (if someone else prepares your return, make sure they attach your W-2 also); and sign your return (if someone else has prepared your return, have them sign also).

All Maryland income tax

offices are open Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. Extra hours of assistance are listed inside the front cover of the state tax packet. The addresses and phone numbers of the state income tax offices are listed on the back of the state tax packet and in most local telephone directories.

For free state income tax assistance, call 1-800-MD TAXES from within Maryland.

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Wed., Apr. 8th-Tues. Apr. 14th
Normal office hours will resume on April 15.

Eugene "Mace," Sandy, and Rachel Paugh extend heart felt thanks to our family members, friends, neighbors, and everyone who rallied to our aid during the tragic loss of our home on March 14, 1992.

We wish to extend a special thank you to the Deer Park, Oakland, and Gorman firemen who risked their own lives to try to save our home. We would also like to thank Kitzmiller and Terra Alta fire departments for their assistance.

We are encouraged and touched by your kindness, courage, and prayers.

May God bless each and everyone of you who helped in any way.

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GNB Assists Education Bd.'s Mentor Program

Garrett National Bank is currently working with three students in cooperation with the Garrett County Board of Education's Pilot Mentor Program that addresses the definite vocational interests of students.

As part of the Schools + Business + Partnership, Cyndi Yeager, Stephanie Merrill, and Tonya Dragovich will be spending up to 16 hours per month in the GNB's system to learn the real operation of banking at three locations.

Cyndi Yeager is working at the Deep Creek Lake Branch learning managerial responsibilities with Manager Judy Schroyer. Stephanie Merrill is learning teller responsibilities at the Accident Branch with Bobbi Sisler, teller. Tonya Dragovich is working with D. Deane Foy and Carol Gibson in the installment loan area at the main office in Oakland.

The pilot program is being directed by Mrs. JoAnn Vent, teacher in the Youth Employability Program from the Board of Education. "There has been great interest, thus far, and we're hoping to broaden the program next year to more students," said Mrs. Vent.

Naylor's True Value and the Maryland Department of Natural Resources are also participating in this year's pilot project.

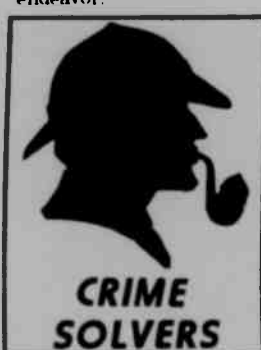
"Garrett National Bank is very interested and concerned for the youth of our county and is therefore more than willing to share in the education and training of our young people," stated George W. Evans, executive vice president of Garrett National Bank.

The activities and placement of students in the bank are being coordinated with the schools by Wayne R.



PILOT MENTOR PROGRAM - The Garrett National Bank is currently working with four three students from local schools in cooperation with the Garrett County Board of Education's Pilot Mentor Program. The purpose of the program is to familiarize students with their vocational interests. Pictured left to right are Tonya Dragovich, student; Wayne R. Johnson, coordinator of the program for the Garrett National Bank; Cyndi Yeager, student; JoAnn Vent, coordinator of the program for the Board of Education; and Stephanie Merrill, student.

Johnson, training officer at GNB. "We are working closely with the board and schools to see that students get their regular class work in and are also able to observe and work with our employees to see what the world of work is like," said Johnson. "These young ladies seem very determined to work in the banking business and we're glad to be able to help them in their endeavor."



The Garrett County Crime Solvers case of the week involves a theft at

Northern Middle School. An IBM personal computer, two RCA video cassette recorders, a Smith Corona typewriter, two desktop calculators, and other items.

Two of the video recorders were engraved with either "NMS" or "Northern Middle School," and one was engraved with "Stuck."

Total loss in this case has been estimated at \$2,000.

Any person with information about this or any other unsolved crime is urged to contact Crime Solvers at 334-1975. Callers do not have to give their names nor appear in court. Rewards up to \$1,000 are available to persons who give tips that lead to arrests.

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3:27	37	25	08 1/2" sn
3:28	40	21	0
3:29	48	25	0
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Northern Middle School Honor Students Named

The honor roll for the fourth grading period at Northern Middle School was released this week by Wilda W. Massi, principal.

Students named to the distinguished honor roll for earning at least 90 percent in all subjects (straight A's) were: Adam Bach, David Butler, Heather Gant, Amy Hinebaugh, Rachel Leverenz, Eric Neubert, Angela Otto, Mindy Robinson, Jeremy Robinson, and Douglas Weimer, all of grade six; Kim Bittinger, Michelle Geis, Zach Leverenz, Jenny McKenzie, Erin Resh, Josh Robinson, Laura Schlosnagle, and Matt Thomas, all of grade seven; and Emily Friend, Joshua Livengood, Rhonda Schwinabart, Paul Sebald, Cindy Weimer, and Erin Wiland, all of grade eight.

Students named to the regular honor roll for earning at least 80 percent in all subjects (all A's and B's) were the following:

GRADE SIX
Kathy Arnold, Valerie Bender, Sara Power, Abigail Bruch, Jessica Cooper, Tara Daniels, Jesse Deniker, Debi Dolan, Kendra Duckworth, Jeffrey Folk, Brandi Frazee, Chelaea Frickey, Diana Friend, Matthew Fritz, Alissa Halteman, Chris Herman, Kista Knox, Jennifer Kolbe, James Lewis, Brandy Lewis, Tammy Michales, Donna Nugent, Brooke Rider, Jessica Robinson, Michelle Schroyer, Angela Sessa, Kerri Sines, John Snelling, Jill Speicher, Dustin Swiger, Carl Thomas, Melissa Tucci, James Warnick, Laurel Wolf, and Tatiana Yelovich.

GRADE SEVEN
Lori Arnold, Melissa Bowser, Cody Breneman, Justin Broadwater, Leslie Buckel, Sarah Coddington, Noelle Collins, Eugenia Dale, Glenda DeWitt, Cheryl Dillsworth, Jessica Friend, Katie Garlitz, Stephanie Gosnell, Rachel Gosnell, Charm Haer, Kristin Heslop, Steve Hinebaugh, Janel Hordubay, Amanda House, Lisa Hutzler, Anna Leilich, Betty Mitchell, Chad Montgomery, Danielle Polk, Shanna Powell, Nathan Rowe, Jamie Resh, Juli Savage, Ann Sebald, Jamie Shoemaker, Megan Sines, Doug Sines, Suzanne Spiker, Lea Stanton, Jessica Stemple, Michael Sweitzer, Naomi Tobio, Thomas Tusing, Jamie Jo Vent, Jennifer Vitez, Shannon Wiland, Sandy Wilt, Trisha Yates, and Kathy Yoder.

GRADE EIGHT
Brandon Baumgardner, Ruth Beachy, Jamie Beckman, Brandi Beitzel, Aaron Blocher, Tabitha Bowser, Erin Bray, Andy Breneman, Winona Broadwater, Tara Burdock, Melissa Cager, Paul Chevalier, Jessica Clary, Jacqueline DeWitt, Stacy Dolan, Danielle Fike, Melinda Frazee, Troy Garlitz, Lori Glotfelty, Marlene Halteman, Nick Hetz, Mark Hinebaugh, Aaron Hordubay, Annette Jenkins, Joey Layman, Troy Mast, April Meyers, Laura Miller, Matthew O'Donnell, Vernon Paugh, Christine Platter, George Sank, Heather Schroyer, Dave Scofield, Jamie Settle, Lori Sines, Tim Sines, Vicki Sukow, Brent Thomas,

Kista Thomas, Chris Umbel, Nick Wachter, Amy Wagner, Susan Winfield, Matt Wolf, and Larisa Yelovich.

Area Merchants Supporting "Big Baby Shower"

For pregnant women who smoke, "Maryland's Largest Baby Shower," sponsored by the American Lung Association of Maryland, promises to be a rewarding afternoon, according to organizers of the event. Set for this Saturday, April 4, at the Silver Tree Inn, Maryland's Largest Baby Shower is a program alerting women to the serious hazards of smoking while pregnant. The shower is co-sponsored by the Garrett County Health Department.

Despite the serious message that the shower conveys, participants will be treated to refreshments, door prizes, and gifts.

The Schwab Factory Outlet Store is supporting the American Lung Association's efforts by presenting each participant with a special gift. Tissue Stanton, the store manager, will be on hand to present each gift personally.

Other area merchants are assisting as well. K-Mart in the Country Club Mall has contributed a grand prize to be awarded and the following Garrett County merchants have contributed door prizes: Brenda's Body Shop, Book Market, Englander's Pharmacy, Deep Creek Lake Hardware, Jan Florists, J.C. Penney, Naylor's Hardware, Presentations, Proudfoot's Pharmacy, School House Earth, The Toy Chest, and Treasure Island.

Participation in Maryland's Largest Baby Shower is free. Expectant mothers who smoke may register by



LARGEST BABY SHOWER PLANS FINALIZED - Schwab Factory Outlet Store Manager Tissue Stanton, right, and Tina Zaleski display a poster for Maryland's Largest Baby Shower, set for April 4 at the Silver Tree Inn, Deep Creek Lake. The Baby Shower is a program of the American Lung Association of Maryland for expectant mothers who smoke. See story.

calling the Garrett County Health Department at 334-8111 or 895-3111.



The births of six infants this week at Garrett County Memorial Hospital were announced this morning by a hospital spokesperson.

A son was born March 26 to Eugene Scott and Angela Marie Friend VanSickle, Friendsville.

A son was born March 27 to John Madison Carter and Christy Lynn Beitzel Miller, Grantsville.

A son was born March 29 to Anthony Paul and Victoria Lynn Stem Hamrick, Mtn. Lake Park.

A son was born April 1 to John Isaac and Glenna Elaine Rohrbach Haines, Piedmont, W. Va.

A son was born April 1 to

Legal Aid Bureau Announces April Outreach Schedule

Staff members of the Legal Aid Bureau, Inc., will be available to discuss legal problems with persons during the month of April on April 7 and April 12 at the Community Action Center, 360 W. Liberty St., Oakland.

The Legal Aid Bureau representative will be available from 10 a.m. until noon. The Bureau provides legal assistance in civil matters to eligible persons. Services are available at no cost to those whose income and property holdings are below certain federally-mandated levels.

The Western Maryland office of the Bureau is located at 110 Greene Street in Cumberland. The office can be reached in Garrett County by calling 334-8832.

Whenever possible, persons needing assistance should call in advance to schedule an appointment for the Outreach location or for an appointment at the Cumberland office, according to Bureau officials.

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VARIETY SHOW PARTICIPANTS - The Dennett Road Elementary School recently hosted a variety show featuring several students. Shown above are participants in various categories in grades kindergarten through second. In the first row, left to right, are Holly Reese, Andrew Hill, Tommy Dunbar, Timothy Dimick, Hollie Anderson, Marie Dimick, Erin Oxford, Amanda Frazer, and Rebecca Archer. In the second row, same order, are Christopher Stover, Miriam Sincelli, Twila Aahby, Tabitha Dimick, Joshua Harris, Bart Shaffer, Chris Lantz, and Megan Burner. In the third row, same order, are Patrick Murray, Erica Liller, Ashley Tasker, Ben Stone, Becky Martin, Cole Fontalbert, Kimberly Matras, Ashley Harahan, and Carrie Tressler. In the fourth row, same order, are Hollie Harris, Molly Thayer, Gina Reeves, Edward Martinez, Ashley Liller, Jennifer Bosley, Nick K...

Southern Middle School Honor Students Named

The fourth term honor roll for Southern Middle School was released this week by John A. Rickman, principal.

Students named to the all-A honor roll for achieving at least 90 percent in all

subjects were:

GRADE SIX

Victoria Ackerman, Leigh Ann Bowyer, Brittney Decker, Rachel Farmer, Carrie Filasinger, Julie Giotfelty, Stacy Lewis, Daniel Lucas, Tabitha Naylor, Alison Rudy, and Jacquelyn Stanley.

GRADE SEVEN

Jennifer Barnard, Evelyn Bittinger, James

Brown, Melanie Cook, Meghan Dabney, Ryan Fike, Sarah Fike, Paul Howdyshell, Lauren Newcomb, Sindy Niner, Janice Plauger, Christy Reams, Nathan Rickman, Misty Rodeheaver, Kimberly Rosenthal, Joy Sisler, Tracy Upole, and Heather Wolfe.

GRADE EIGHT

Jamie Bernard, Nicole Bosley, Christian Coviello, Julie Eiswert, Todd Gibson, Todd Howard, Jaime Jacoby, Erin Long, Mandy Rush, Angela Shafer, Kristi Stemple, Jason Sweitzer, and Andrew Woods.

Students named to the regular honor roll for earning at least 80 percent in all subjects were:

GRADE SIX

Kendra Alexander, Steven Allison, Erin Ball, George Beckman, Jason Bernard, Rishi Bhatnager, Michael Bittinger, Danny Boyce, Brian Brown, Aaron Cline, Joseph Collins, Mark Corby.

Francesca Coviello, Donnelle Dick, Darrick Dove, Scott Elliott, Brandon Ferguson, Heather Flores, Jennifer R. Friend, Jody Friend, Lindsay Garris, Molly Gaster, Karlo Geaner, Jessica Getson, James Gill, Andrew Granke, Kristina Green, Jamie Grubb, Brooke Hamilton, Cambria Harman, Andrew Harvey, Heather Harvey, Joshua Helbig, Kristal Hinebaugh, Christy Hoalcraft, Nicole Jones.

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GRADE SEVEN

Kandi Ashby, Jared Beckman, Derek Berger, Ary Bosley, Adam Chorpenn, Amanda Corby, Eric Cooner, Howard Croso, David Deem, Joseph Dever, Brian DeWitt, Crystal Duncan.

Lisa Elliott, James Evan, Patrick Forman, Brandon Frantz, Melissa Hauser, Justin Helbig, Adam Herbert, Abby Hershaman, Terri Holtschneider, Erica Johnson, Sarah Jonson, Jennifer Kmiecik, Elizabeth Lee.

Anna Marc, Kimberly McBride, Amanda Mountain, Sarah Murray, Abigail Nichols, Aaron Panicho, Matthew Paugh, Susan Paugh, Shane Perry, Rita Powell, Rodney Reckart, Megan Redinger.

Matthew Rhodes, Nicholas Rohrbaugh, Kristie Sausman, Andy Severe, Brandy Shaluta, Kandice Shomo, Matthew Sincell, Scott Sines, Joy Sisler, Amanda Spiker, Shannon Spurrier, Erica Stahl.

Erin Steyer, Aya Stimak, T.D. Stuck, Andrea Sweitzer, Joseph Swerbinsky, Ryan Szal, Joshua Teets, Paul Tepper, Jasen Thayer, Thomas Uphold, Matthew Whitacre, and Holly Wilson.

GRADE EIGHT

Kevin Andrews, Michael Armstrong, Megan Battista, Cobenn Bolden, Kimberly Crossland, Victoria Donham, Erika Durst, Joshua Elminger, Lori Evans, Hillary Garria.

Joel Getty, Stephen Goralaki, Ronda Guthrie, Jennifer Harvey, Mary Kate Hudson, Nikolaas James, Christopher Jones, Frank Kratofil, David Lucas, Miranda Marple, Nathan McBee, Carla Miller, Danny Murphy.

Jessica Murray, Daniel Nelson, Steven Shreve, Daniel Skipper, Betsy Spiker, Rebekah Spiker, Kryata Stacy, Robert Swiger, Katrina Thayer, and Jason Wood.

Literacy Council To Sponsor Training Event

The Literacy Council of Garrett County will hold a tutor training event in the Grantsville area on Saturday, April 4 and 11 at St. Paul's United Methodist Church. The scheduled hours for the training sessions are from 9:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. each day.

During the training sessions volunteers will learn how to use the "Laubach Way to Reading" to teach adult non-readers. All volunteer tutors with the literacy council must complete the 12-hour training course in order to be certified to teach the adult non-reader.

Persons interested in attending the training session may pre-register by calling 301-334-8808. There is no cost for the course, but persons should bring a packed lunch. All persons are invited to attend and learn to teach others how to read.

Maryland With Pride



WOW HELPS HABITAT - Woodman of the World, Lodge 11, recently donated \$724 to Garrett County Habitat for Humanity. The donation was part of a fraternal service project. The donation will provide vinyl siding, outside corners, "J" channel, underlath, starter strip and nails for a house being constructed by Habitat for Humanity. John Sines, right, president of Lodge 11, is shown presenting a check to Donald Little, Habitat project coordinator.

Goldstein Says 820,000 State Refunds Mailed

Maryland State Comptroller Louis L. Goldstein said that his office had mailed more than 820,000 state income tax refunds to taxpayers as of March 30, 1992. The average refund is now \$348. "Our refund mailings are 8% ahead of last year, partly because taxpayers are filing earlier this year," Goldstein said.

The comptroller urged the estimated 300,000 taxpayers due refunds who have not yet filed their tax returns that they should consider filing their state return electronically with a qualified tax preparer.

"Filing your state return electronically means your refund check will be on its way within a week - instead of the several weeks it takes to process a paper refund at this stage in the filing season," Goldstein said. "To find the name and address of tax preparers in your area who are qualified to file federal and state returns electronically, call our statewide toll-free assistance number, 1-800-MD-TAXES or the Maryland income tax office listed in your local telephone directory."

Goldstein reminded taxpayers still working on their returns to take advantage of

extra hours of free state tax help during the upcoming weekend.

All Maryland income tax offices will remain open to help taxpayers on Saturday, April 4, and Saturday, April 11, from 9 a.m. until 1 p.m. Taxpayers can also get help over the telephone on two Monday evenings, April 6 and April 13, and Tuesday evening, April 14, from 5 until 7 p.m.

"We offer these extra hours of assistance as a convenience for taxpayers who work during the week. Taxpayers who want their Maryland returns completed free of charge should bring a completed copy of their federal return and all W-2 statements

to any Maryland income tax office to take advantage of this free service," Goldstein said.

Comptroller Goldstein offered a few pointers to taxpayers still working on their returns, noting that tax returns filed close to the April 15 deadline usually have more errors than those filed earlier: double-check all calculations; enter the total dollar amount of your personal exemptions on line 58; if you're claiming the standard deduction, use the correct worksheet for your filing status to determine the amount of your standard deduction; use the preprinted address label (if it's correct); if itemizing deductions, remember to attach a copy of your federal Schedule A; attach your W-2 statements and a check or money order for any state tax due (if someone else prepares your return, make sure they attach your W-2 also); and sign your return (if someone else has prepared your return, have them sign also).

All Maryland income tax

offices are open Monday through Friday, from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. Extra hours of assistance are listed inside the front cover of the state tax packet. The addresses and phone numbers of the state income tax offices are listed on the back of the state tax packet and in most local telephone directories.

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Normal office hours will resume on April 15.

Eugene "Mace," Sandy, and Rachel Paugh extend heart felt thanks to our family members, friends, neighbors, and everyone who rallied to our aid during the tragic loss of our home on March 14, 1992.

We wish to extend a special thank you to the Deer Park, Oakland, and Gorman firemen who risked their own lives to try to save our home. We would also like to thank Kutzmiller and Terra Alta fire departments for their assistance.

We are encouraged and touched by your kindness, courage, and prayers.

May God bless each and everyone of you who helped in any way.

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Huskies Fall To Rams, Keyser On The Courts

The Northern High boys' and girls' tennis teams opened their season this week with a pair of defeats, the first coming at the hands of visiting Southern on Tuesday and the second at Keyser yesterday. The boys lost to Southern and Keyser, 7-0 and 7-0, while the girls were defeated by the Rams, 7-0, and the Golden Tornado, 7-1.

Earning singles victories for the Rams were Rory Bernard over Dan Wright (10-0), Sean Gregory over Pete Forno (10-0), Terrence O'Hare over Eric Lapp (10-4), Devin Pratt over Sam Wagner (10-2), and Jason Barr over Noah Rowe (10-0). Bernard and Gregory topped Wright and Wagner in doubles, 10-1, and Northern's Mike Hetrick and Josh Kolbe were topped by Brad Boal and Aaron Chorpennig, 10-3.

Winning singles matches for the Northern girls were Nikki Brown, Ingrid Carlson, Erin Dabney, Sheila Hitt, and Kathryn Ashby, who topped Tanya Beitzel, Lisa Stephens, Sara Younkin, Alison Buckel, and Jenny Theriot, respectively. Tammy Eisentrout and Brown edged Beitzel and Stephens in doubles, 10-8, and Ashley Smith and Jessica Teets topped Tara Braskey and Kandi Buckel, 10-1.

Against Keyser, Wright, Lapp, Forno, and Jeremy Perando were defeated in singles by A.J. Stevenson, Chad Haywood, Jason Kight, and Todd Rosedale, respectively. In doubles, Sean Wachter and Jamie Yoder fell to Nathan Stone and Jeff Mooreland, Dave Butler and Josh Kolbe were topped by Blair Bush and John Wilson, and Rowe and Chad Wachter were defeated by Jason Loya and Jon Rosedale.

Jenny Theriot was the only Northern girl to pick up a win against Keyser, as she



SOUTH NIPS NORTH - The faculties of Southern High and Southern Middle schools edged those of Northern High and Northern Middle schools Saturday night in the second annual Red Cross Basketball Tournament, held at Northern High School and sponsored by the Garrett County Chapter of the ARC. Southern High edged Northern High, 55-53, after Southern Middle nipped Northern Middle, 54-53, in the preliminary game. In the



photo above left, Southern High's Terry Kendall goes up for two against Northern High's Lynn Brenneman. Above right, former Northern Husky Dave Bender, now a member of the SHS faculty, maneuvers around Northern's Phil Carr. The games were coordinated by Tom Vent, Tom Woods, and Jim Bosley. The event will be held again next year in the Southern High School gym. Photos by Craig Speicher.

Bernard Back On The Track, Leads In Points

Jim Bernard, McHenry, who raced his way to a third place finish in the National Winston Cup Motorcycle Drag Racing Championships last year, is back on the national circuit this season and is currently sitting in first place in the point standings.

Bernard has raced three times so far this spring, with two of those being sanctioned point events sponsored by the National Hot Rod Association.

His first race this spring, for which there were no national points at stake, was a Pro-Star event in Gainesville, Fla. Bernard took first place, as he completed the quarter-mile course in 7.69 seconds.

He and his father-manager Skip Bernard then moved on to Houston for a NHRA-sanctioned race, in which Jim placed third.

The third race was back at the Gainesville Raceway, where Bernard placed first and set a new track record of 7.66 seconds, as he hit a top speed of 175.09 miles per hour.

The elder Bernard said that they are tentatively scheduled to race in the Winston Invitational in Rockingham, N.C., next week; however, they may not participate since this race is also worth no points in the national standings.

"We will definitely be in Atlanta April 23-26, though, for the Southern Nationals," Skip Bernard said.

Bernard is racing on a new bike which he designed and built in his shop in McHenry.

Two Huskies To Play Football At Glenville

Two members of the Northern High School football team who will be graduating this spring will continue their grid careers next fall at the collegiate level.

Mike Fike, a 6-3, 245-pound nose guard, and Doug Brenneman, a 5-10, 175 wide receiver/defensive back, have signed to play for Glenville, W. Va., State College under Coach Rich Rodriguez.

"I think Mike will have an impact on our program as a freshman," Rodriguez said. "He's a very exciting player and the future looks great for him."

Rodriguez said Brenneman will probably be red-shirted his first year. "Doug has the capability of developing into a fine player, also," he said.

"They come from an excellent program at Northern High School, which should really help them in their transition to college ball," he added.

Fike and Brenneman were key starters the past three seasons for Coach Tom Vent, helping the Huskies

turn its program around to back-to-back winning seasons the last two years and a playoff appearance this past year.

Garrett Bassers Slate Walleye Tournery At DCL

The Fourth Annual Deep Creek Lake Walleye Team Championship, sponsored by the Garrett Bassers and Skool Outdoors, will be held at the lake on Saturday, April 25, from 7 a.m. to 4 p.m.

According to tournament directors, 62 teams have already pre-registered for the event, so a full field of 85 teams is expected. Applications are available at local tackle shops.

The registration fee is \$80 per team. There will also be an optional luncheon pot, winner-take-all, the day of the tournery.

With a full field of 85 boats, the first place team will be awarded \$1,150 plus a trophy. There will be a pay-out to the top 11 teams.

For more information about the event, persons may contact Steve Friend at (301) 334-4517 or Tony Slovak at (301) 895-3454.

Fourth Annual Great Bobcat Run Slated April 26

Walkers, joggers, runners, and families are invited to "go for the gold" at Frostburg State University's fourth annual Great Bobcat Run, scheduled for Sunday, April 26, at 1:30 p.m.

The 3.1-mile TAC certified course covers a variety of terrain and meanders around the FSU campus. Medals will be awarded to the top three male and female runners and walkers in each age category. All participants receive T-shirts and there will be a post-race pizza party donated by Little Caesar's.

Entry fees are \$5 for students and \$7 for adults if registering by mail before April 17. After that date, registration is \$9 for all. On-site registration will be available.

For more information or to receive registration forms, persons may call Wendy Snyder at the FSU Department of Health, Physical Education and Recreation, 689-4467 or 689-4455. The event is sponsored by Little Caesar's and FSU Intramural/Athletics.

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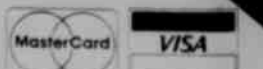
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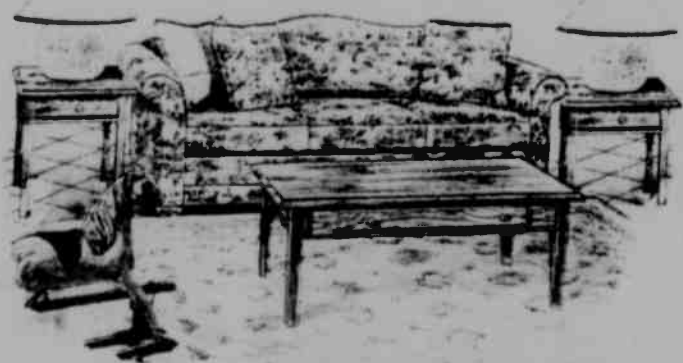
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Lakers End Losing Skid With Six Straight Wins; Record Now 6-9



Garrett
MIKE LESHOK

After opening the season with nine straight losses, many of them by a single run, the Garrett Community College Lakers dramatically turned things around this week with six straight victories. They took a pair from Catonsville CC on Saturday at Westernport field, 10-9 and 10-2, swept two from Hagerstown Junior College at Allegany CC on Sunday, 7-5 and 7-6, and then ripped Charles CC yesterday in LaPlata, 8-0 and 12-4. The wins improved Garrett's overall mark to 6-9 and their Maryland JUCO Western Division record to 5-3.

A two-run double by Brian Shaffer in the bottom of the seventh inning against Catonsville broke the two-week losing streak of the Lakers.

The Cardinals, who entered the doubleheader with a 5-1 record, took a 4-1 lead in the opening game behind a two-run homer by Bobby Allison in the third inning. The Lakers came back with a single run in the fourth on a solo homer by Kevin Green, another run in the fifth when Tony Angelo doubled home Rod Freeman who had walked, and three more runs in the sixth when Chris Lollia doubled, Shaffer walked, and Freeman smacked a three-run homer. This gave Garrett a 6-4 lead; however, Catonsville came back in the top of the seventh by taking advantage of three walks and an error to score five runs and assume a 9-6 advantage.

Angelo led off Garrett's rally in the bottom of the inning with a solo home run with one out. Then Rob Whittington walked and Chris Lollia tripled him home. The next batter, pinch-hitter Abb Wazzini, was hit by a pitch and Shaffer followed with his game-winning double.

Ryan Harman pitched into the seventh inning for the Lakers, but reliever Paul Bowman got credit for the win.

Matt Lawrence went the distance for Garrett in the second game, giving up six hits, striking out 10, and walking only two.

The Lakers scored all the runs they would need for the win in the third inning when they took a 3-0 lead on singles by Doug Bertolina and Mike Leshok, a walk, a wild pitch, and an error.

Catonsville cut the lead to 3-2 in the fourth on a two-run homer by Butch Beard.

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Garrett
MATT LAWRENCE

but Garrett responded with four runs in the bottom of that inning on a solo homer by Lollia, a two-run homer by Whittington, and an RBI single by Bo Bishop.

Three insurance runs were added in the sixth on a three-run shot by Angelo after Freeman and Leshok walked.

Angelo led the Lakers' hitting on the afternoon with two homers, a double, and a single for six RBI.

"These were two very important wins for us," stated Laker Coach Lawrence Nesselrodt. "Coming back in the seventh inning of the first game really gave us momentum going into the second game. Matt Lawrence did a great job for us."

The Lakers' momentum, and Angelo's momentum, continued into the next afternoon against Hagerstown, as Angelo smacked his third homer of the year in the first inning of the first game to give Garrett a 1-0 lead.

After the Hawks answered with a single run in the second, the Lakers made it 4-1 in the third, as the first run was scored on a balk. Green followed with an RBI double and Bishop, a run-producing single.

Leshok made it 7-1 with a three-run homer in the fourth inning. Hagerstown chipped away at Garrett's lead with single runs in the fifth and sixth innings. After pitching six strong innings, Laker pitcher Brian Shaffer was relieved by Bowman in the seventh. Bowman faced a bases loaded situation, but after allowing one run on a walk and another on a single, struck out the final batter to record the save.

Yazzani doubled and singled for the Lakers, while Bishop recorded two singles.

The Lakers trailed 4-1 in the second game, but came back with a five-run fourth inning to take a 6-4 advantage. Whittington, Freeman, and Jermaine Shy each had RBI singles in that inning.

Hagerstown knotted the score with two runs in the top of the fifth, but Bishop singled home Angelo in the bottom of the fifth to score what would be the winning run.

Bishop finished the game with a homer and two singles.

Toby Criff doubled twice for the 9-5 Hawks.

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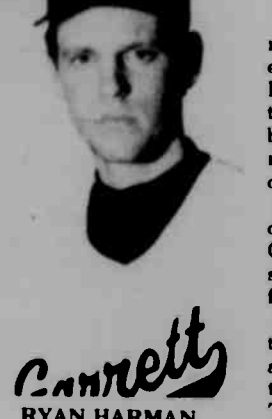
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Garrett
RYAN HARMAN

lied Jake Sawyers in the fifth inning, was awarded the win.

Harman pitched a four-hitter in the first game yesterday against Charles CC, striking out eight and walking only one, as the Lakers had no problem recording their fifth and sixth wins.

After Leshok scored on an error in the first inning, the Lakers went up 3-0 in the second as Freeman sacrificed home a run with bases loaded and Shy scored on an error.

The Lakers doubled their total in the third on a sacrifice fly by Lollia, an RBI single by Shy, and a triple by John Cullen. They added a single run in the fourth on an error and concluded their scoring in the seventh with a run on a sacrifice fly by Freeman.

Cullen rapped a triple and two singles, Leshok added three singles, and Shy hit two singles and scored twice.

"Ryan (Harman) did a super job," Nesselrodt said. "He had full control of the game and never had more than one runner on base in any inning."

Charles took a 2-0 lead in the first inning of the second game, but Garrett came back with three runs in the second to take the lead for good. Former Northern standout Chad Sines led the three-run effort, as he stroked a two-run single, stole second, and then scored on a single by Bertolini.

The Lakers scored four more times in the third inning on four errors and a single by Green.

Bishop smacked a two-run homer in the fourth. Hottinger hit a two-run single in the sixth, and Green concluded Garrett's scoring with a run-producing double in the seventh.

Bishop, Green, Sines, and Bertolini each finished with two hits in the Lakers' 11-hit effort.

Lawrence, who pitched the first four innings, was awarded the win on the mound. The loss dropped Charles to 4-5.

The Lakers will attempt to keep their streak going tomorrow when they play a doubleheader at Chesapeake CC.

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CHARLES CC 000 000 0-0 4 2
Ryan Harman and Chris Lollia; Bertolina, David Kline (6), McHaffey, O'Donnell (4) and Holloway

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Rams Open Baseball Campaign With 13-2 Thrashing Of Lions

After some postponements because of foul weather conditions, the Southern High Rams were finally able to open their 1991-92 baseball season Tuesday afternoon with a 13-2 thrashing of host Tucker County.

Shane Skipper had a pair of two-run singles, while Gary Upole smacked three singles and Dave Kurtz finished with two.

The Rams wasted no time taking control of the game as they recorded four runs in the top of the first inning. The first two runs were scored when Skipper singled

with bases loaded. Upole then drove home a run with a single and the fourth run was scored on an overthrow by the Tucker defense.

The Lions answered with two runs in the bottom of the inning on a two-run single by Andy Rapt, but those would be their only scores of the afternoon.

After a scoreless second inning, the Rams erupted for eight runs in the top of the third. Brett Rice drove in one run with a bases-loaded single, Britten Martin followed with a two-run double, and Skipper recorded his

second two-run single. Southern added one more run in the fifth on a fielder's choice hit by Jason Rinker.

Jeremy Bosley, who pitched into the sixth inning, was the winning pitcher. He allowed only three hits and one earned run while striking out five. Craig Calhoun tossed the final two innings to preserve Bosley's win. Shawn Cutright took the loss on the mound for the Lions.

Coach Jim Bosley's Rams are scheduled to go after win number two this afternoon at Keyser.

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Women's Open Volleyball Event Slated At GCC

A women's open volleyball tournament will be held at Garrett Community College on April 11 and teams are currently being sought to participate.

Pool play will be utilized, with the top two teams in each division advancing to the finals. A team trophy will be awarded to the first and second place teams, with the members of the first place team each receiving a t-shirt.

Admission is \$40 per team and the deadline to register is Tuesday, April 7. Persons desiring more

information may contact Margaret Quinn, tournament coordinator, at (304) 788-8703 after 4 p.m.

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Razzberry's defeated Killer Loop, 3-0; Oakland Pharmacy defeated Allegany Welding, 2-1; Asplundh defeated Stonewall Construction, 3-0; and Mt. Top Paving defeated Public Offender, 3-0. 99 KIU refereed and did not play Jack's received a bye and did not play.

LEAGUE STANDINGS

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Oakland Pharmacy 57-9
Mt. Top Paving 55-11
Asplundh 47-19
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Bowl For Kids' Sake Surpasses Goal of \$12,000

The third annual Bowl for Kids' Sake was held Saturday at Par-Matt Lanes in Oakland, as Bowlers, young and old, from the area pitched in and gave their best performance to help make the event surpass last year's event and this year's goal. Bowl for Kids' Sake is the major fundraiser for the Garrett County Branch of Big Brothers/Big Sisters of the Alleghenies, as well as Big Brothers/Big Sisters of America.

Over 110 bowlers participated in knocking down pins for the local Branch of Big Brothers/Big Sisters. Kent Miller was the bowler with the largest dollar amount of pledges turned in. Miller, of Grantsville, had pledges of over \$1,000.

The local branch had a goal of \$12,000 which was surpassed with a preliminary total of \$13,019.70 being pledged, according to Anna Bishop, chairperson of the event. This money will be used to continue and expand the services of Big Brothers/Big Sisters in Garrett County.

Of the 31 corporate sponsors of the Bowl for Kids' Sake event, 15 entered teams in the Corporate Sponsor Tournament held the same day at Par-Matt. The team representing the Grantsville Lions Club captured first place with a scratch score of 635. The winning team consisted of Keith DeWitt, Pete Miller, Howard Finzel, and Kevin Johnson. These bowlers will receive a dinner at a local restaurant of their



YOUTH GRAPPLERS HONORED - The Northern Youth Wrestling Team recently held its award banquet at the Blittinger tire hall. Each wrestler received a certificate, plaque and wrestling T-shirt. The team consisted of the following, pictured left to right: first row, John Foutz, Brett Stein, Roy Holliday, Josh Lear, Tommy Thorne, Brian Savage, Jon Garlitz, Darric Kamp, Blake Huber, Mark Wolf, Danny Ganoce and Jimmy Yoder; second row, same order, Buzzy Duckworth, Brandon Kamp, Seth Huber, Josh Resh, Quinton Carter, Malcolm Simmons, David Wampler, Shawn Bender, Ronnie Lipscomb.

choice. The team of The Republican newspaper, consisting of Ralph and Angie Murphy and Harold and Merry Paugh, came in second with a score of 627.

Bausch & Lomb Inc. donated a pair of binoculars and two pairs of sunglasses which were raffled. Ruth Wilson won the binoculars. The sunglasses were won by Steve Tressler and Mrs. Jean Tressler. The raffle contributed \$50 to the total proceeds.

The local branch of Big Brothers/Big Sisters is presently serving 19 local children. Of these, seven children are presently matched with their prospective Big Brother or Big Sister. All the children are included in the Waiting Little's aspect of the

program. The Waiting Little's aspect has the children periodically involved in an activity of an educational or recreational nature. The branch operates on a 1992 budget of \$15,880.

For information on the services offered by the Garrett County Branch of Big Brothers/Big Sisters, persons may contact Dan Seib, coordinator, at 334-3591 or 1-800-400-0735. The local branch is seeking both children and volunteer adults who would like to participate in the program.

MDE Modifies Potomac River Fish Advisory

Maryland Secretary of the Environment Robert Perciasepe has announced the modification of a health advisory regarding the consumption of fish caught in the Upper Potomac River between Luke and Paw Paw, W.Va.

In June, 1990 the department issued a health advisory recommending against eating bottom feeding fish -- such as channel catfish and bullheads -- and limiting consumption of all others. The advisory was issued after unacceptable levels of dioxin, a suspected human carcinogen, were detected in fish samples from the region.

Further fish tissue sam-

pling was conducted in May and October 1991. The results showed substantial decreases in dioxin levels in fish tissue. After reviewing the results of the sampling, the Maryland Department of the Environment (MDE) has issued the following advisory pertaining to fish caught between Luke, MD and Paw Paw, W.Va.

* Avoid eating channel catfish and bullhead varieties of bottom feeding fish.

* The advisory limiting consumption of all other species of fish has been lifted, with the exception of sunfish. Since no sunfish samples were collected, the advisory to limit consumption to 14 meals (112 ounces) per year remains in effect for this species.

"With regard to sport fish -- or top feeders -- of the samples taken in May and October, there was not a single sample with dioxin levels above the limit of detection," noted Secretary Perciasepe.

"Because there were no sunfish in the two most recent rounds of sampling, we are adopting the conservative approach and leaving the advisory in effect for this species."

The most recent sampling was conducted by an independent laboratory for Westvaco Corporation under a voluntary dioxin reduction program the company initiated for its three bleached pulp mills. MDE worked with the company to establish appropriate sampling procedures.

Since July 1988, Westvaco has reduced dioxin in its wastewater by more than 90 percent. The concentration of dioxin discharged to the Potomac River has been non-detectable in all samples collected since late 1989. Dioxin is a common by-product of some paper bleaching processes.

This dioxin reduction is attributable to more than \$15 million in process modifications at Westvaco's Luke mill. Among the most important are the construction of a new bleach line and the replacement of some of the chlorine bleaching with chlorine dioxide or hydrogen peroxide bleaching.

"We will continue to monitor dioxin discharges from the Luke facility," added Secretary Perciasepe. "Westvaco has made substantial improvements, and the results bode well for the future."

The first official basketball game was played in 1891.

In Loving Memory Of Woodrow T. Sines Who passed away on March 10, 1984

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High Individual Series: Frank Teter, 635; Harry White, 596; Harold Murphy, 588. High Individual Game: Frank Teter, 233 & 222; Harry White, 221; Harold Murphy, 211.

High Individual Series: Women: Pam Amtower, 550; Pat Filinger, 523; Anna Bishop, 506. High Individual Game: Women: Pam Amtower, 194; Anna Bishop, 193; Mary Paugh, Shirley Bowman, tie, 189.

Elkins Man Wins Pancake 5-K Run

Fred Harris, Elkins, W.Va., was the winner of the fourth annual April Fool's 5-kilometer Pancake Run, held Saturday at the Wisp Ski Area in McHenry. The race was sponsored by the Garrett Sports League.

Harris completed the 3.1-mile course along Marsh Hill Road in 16 minutes, 14 seconds, well ahead of second-place finisher Jimmiv Railev, McHenry (17:11). Brad Rippey placed third in 17:41. Tom Bullback was fourth in 18:02, and Jerry Buckel finished fifth in 18:07.

The first female racer to finish was Nikki Brown, Mtn. Lake Park, who recorded a time of 23:17.

A pancake breakfast was served to all the racers in the Gathering Restaurant at the Wisp. Mike Kozier, president of the League, announced the winners of the League's cross country track scholarships for 1992. They are Jerry Buckel of Northern High School and Nikki Brown of Southern High School. Each received a \$250 scholarship from the League.

Complete results of the Pancake Run are as follows:

PANCAKE RUN	
Fred Harris	16:14
Jimmiv Railev	17:11
Brad Rippey	17:41
Tom Bullback	18:02
Jerry Buckel	18:07
Barry Savage	18:18
Jeff Gansell	20:56
Bill Aspnall	22:44
Nikki Brown	23:17
Nathan McBee	23:34
Deborah Batinger	23:43
Colleen Nordick	23:56
George Daley	24:13
Matthew Sincell	24:31
Danial Sincell	24:35
Todd Howard	24:49
Zachary Batinger	24:51
Wade Dorsey	24:59
Tooo Gibson	27:40

DCL St. Park Ramp Now Open

The Maryland Department of Natural Resources has announced the official opening of the boat ramp at Deep Creek Lake State Park for the 1992 season.

According to Park Manager Paul Durham, the snow and ice conditions at the ramp delayed its opening from the original target date of March 2. "We recently installed our docks, and it appears that the weather is cooperating with us now," stated Durham. "Fishermen are reporting good catches of perch, trout, and walleye, and we're happy to provide launching access for them."



RAMP OPEN - The staff at Deep Creek Lake State Park recently installed the docks at the park's launch ramp. The ramp is now open for use by the public for the 1992 season.

The operating hours at the park's ramp will be as follows:

Through April 12, Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m.-10 p.m.; Friday through Sunday, 5:30 a.m.-10 p.m.

April 13 through May 21, Monday through Thursday, 8 a.m.-midnight; Friday through Sunday, 5:30 a.m.-midnight.

Beginning May 22, 24-hour operation.

Southern Opens Tennis Season With Victories

The Southern High School tennis teams opened their seasons this week with a pair of wins, topping host Hampshire on Friday and then rolling over Northern on Tuesday at Accident. (See separate story for details of Northern match.)

The Southern boys defeated Hampshire 7-0, while the girls won 4-3.

Rory Bernard, Sean Gregory, Devin Pratt, and Terrence O'Hare all recorded singles victories for the boys against Hampshire. The teams of Bernard and Gregory, Pratt and O'Hare, and Aaron Chorpennig and Jason Barr were victorious in doubles.

In the girls' competition, Nikki Brown and Jessica Teets won in singles for the Rams, while Ashley Smith and Brown, and Kathryn

Ashby and Teets recorded doubles victories. Winning singles events for Hampshire were Carrie Kitchen and Heather Abramski.

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Northern.....3

Saville 8-1, Sean Gregory 5 defeated David McKenzie 8-0, Devin Pratt 5, defeated Randy Llewellyn 8-1, Terrence O'Hare 5, defeated Jeff Dodson 8-4, Bernard and Gregory 5, defeated Saville and McKenzie 8-5, Pratt and O'Hare 5, defeated Dodson and Llewellyn 8-4, Aaron Chorpennig and Jason Barr 5, defeated Michael Harriott and Jeremy Smith 8-4.

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Nikki Brown 5, defeated Jodi Frya 8-0, Carrie Kitchen 4, defeated Kathryn Ashton 8-6, Heather Abramski 4, defeated Ashley Smith 8-4, Jessica Teets 5, defeated Sharon Splay 8-2, Smith and Brown 5, defeated Frya and Kitchen 8-4, Ashton and Teets 5, defeated Splay and Abramski 8-0, Teri Wyatt and Kiraay Southerly 4, defeated Tammy Egan and Tiffany Nicholson 8-0.

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the basic education funding. What kind of logic causes one to take money from programs that do the original teaching and preparation of our students and then spend it on a new testing program before dropping the tests deemed obsolete?

Priority decisions are what we expect our elected officials to make. The methods they are using this year avoid the task by making all government employees bear the brunt alone. Not publicizing the cuts and where they occur gives the public a false sense of security until the ultimate occurs and cannot be ignored. Must the bottom fall out before anyone is willing to speak up?

Sincerely yours,
Patricia A. Forrester

To the Editor:

Here in Garrett County we have programs, and then we have programs for programs which only benefit those at the top and do nothing for lower class. Our government spends millions of dollars each year on programs to train people for things that they will probably never use in their life time. Why train a house painter to be a block layer if he doesn't like laying brick? It's like training a dog to be a cat.

God gave everyone a talent of some kind. Why not create jobs where persons can benefit the county as well as themselves by doing the thing they do best? When people like their jobs they do them well, and when they don't like their jobs they make themselves and everyone around them miserable.

Welfare and food stamp programs are alright for people who can't do anything else. But there is a lot of talent going to waste here in Garrett County. Place everyone where they belong and this county will run smoothly and we will prosper together. Let us quit trying to drive square blocks into round holes. This county is full of poor people who are struggling to make ends meet. A person should not have to sign his soul away to the department of social services for a crust of bread.

I may not have a lot of education which you probably already received. But it doesn't take a genius to see that the welfare system is not working, along with all the other money making schemes that the government has come up with.

Yours truly,
Riley Lloyd

To the Editor:

Now that two weeks have passed, and the primary election campaign has closed, I wanted to thank the voters of the Sixth District for granting me the privilege of serving them for the last 14 years.

To the over 5,000 individual contributors who supported my political efforts over the 14 years, thank you. And I want to assure them, as my next Federal Election Report will verify, that I expended all contributions that were made on my behalf on the re-election effort. There is no surplus.

With the assistance of my staff, I will continue to serve Western Maryland for the next nine months. There is much to be done: individual cases, working with local officials on community projects, and legislation to be completed. I intend to remain very active and accountable and will continue to report to you at regular intervals.

As my career as your representative draws to a close, I reiterate my appreciation to the people of this region for giving me an opportunity to serve them in Washington. While many of the issues have been difficult, I always attempted to represent my constituents and I always made the hard decisions that had to be made when voting.

I hope that you will not hesitate to call on me if I may be of service in the remaining months. With deep appreciation,
Beverly B. Byron
Member of Congress

To the Editor:

I have thoroughly enjoyed so many of Pam's and Sherry's columns, especially the recent one's.

I have been so happy with so many of the Letters to the Editor, especially with Mr. Rowan, Clevenger, Duckworth, Ms. Liller and Cox. It is so gratifying that so many people are not afraid to tell it like it really is now.

Not all people are elite! Many seem to think it's only the elites we need to consider when will the "certain people" realize the poor, the middle class, the handicapped, the disenfranchised, will not forever be put down and ignored? The human beings they are "feel" just like everyone else!

Do the people who are or think they are "elitist," with their alcoholism (hidden they think), prejudice, womanizing man chasers, wobbly fat, discriminatory, "board bugs" (those who are on numerous boards) and who mostly think "they" are the upper class; what exactly do they think is their

THE LEAGUE OF WOMEN VOTERS

CHARTER HOME RULE FOR GARRETT COUNTY

Administrative Branch

Just as the Board of County Commissioners is the chief administrative authority of the county, so would the county council be the chief administrative authority. Just as county commissioners now have a county administrator, so would the county have a county administrator.

The big difference is that the charter would provide for official recognition of a county administrator and his term of appointment. It also documents his responsibilities and duties and provides for his compliance therewith or removal from office.

Also note that the compensation of the county administrator is to be established by enactment of legislation.

Composition

The administrative branch is composed of the county council, county administrator, county attorney, and heads of administrative agencies.

The county council is chief administrative authority with all administrative powers of former county commissioners.

The county council shall appoint a county administrator for a term of 4 years, who may be considered for reappointment.

The county administrator shall hold a master's degree in either public administration or business management or have attained an equivalent experience, and be subject to removal for inefficiency, willful neglect of duty, or misbehavior. Under the direction of county council, the county administrator shall: direct and supervise all agencies of the county government; with approval of council, appoint, suspend, or remove the head of each agency of county government; assure all laws and provisions of the charter, subject to enforcement by him/her or by employees subject to his/her direction and supervision, are faithfully carried out; submit to council a detailed report of finances and administrative activities for the preceding year and make copies for distribution to the public; and keep the council fully advised as to the financial condition and future needs of the county.

The public is invited to attend the League of Women Voters of Garrett County's annual meeting, to be held Saturday, April 25, at the Silver Tree Inn.

Social hour will begin at 5:30 p.m., with dinner at 6:30 p.m. Special guests will be members of the Charter Home Rule Board, who will begin speaking at 7:30 p.m. Interested persons are asked to respond by calling 334-3266.

problem?

Some of these types can call dedicated sincere, committee people, dictator, odd balls, crazy, or dismiss them out of hand as those they are totally out of "their sphere!" what a shame! Some people need to clean up their act in a hurry! It can't happen too soon to those who are literally crucifying some people now through the school systems, social services, mental health and many areas.

It would be nice to see a picture of Dr. Archer at Lighthouse doing something about the intolerable mess there and in the mental health arena, rather than helping promote McDonald's! Non-smoking is very important but a whole mental health situation in chaos for years and never worse in some aspects; so neglected for so long!

It would be pleasurable to see and hear rather than the above (and a report of his appearing before a Johns Hopkins group concerning his "2000 program" here) that he was doing something about the "2000 Mental Health Task Force"; other than having had two of his general public meetings, nothing has been done with or on the Mental Health Task Force which Ms. Younger heads (director of the Mental Health Department), under Dr. Archer. The last meeting last fall was to have produced at least a meeting of that Task Force in February to begin to do something besides talk. February and March have come and gone and no meeting. I volunteered for the Task Force as I was asked to do. The only two general meetings Dr. Archer called for were the

general board. I attended as did many other people. Nothing else has happened or we have not been informed. I called and left the message for Dr. Archer with the secretary weeks ago concerning this - no response.

Talk and pictures are cheap and good politically, but when real action is needed it's "zero value". The need for the mentally ill is so great here and who cares? Where is the caring Christian community on this issue? So far it's "silence" by and large is deafening! Do you care? Think about it. This is my opinion.

Mrs. Louise V. Harvey
Friendsville

To the Editor:

I have just received the "Home Rule Charter for Garrett County-Synopsis" and commend the Charter Board members for doing a fine job. I strongly approve of the objectives stated at the outset. Particularly important, I believe, are:

Home Rule - I believe direct participation by county residents in adopting legislation is superior to the present system of long distance legislation through Annapolis.

Council Composition - The proposed minimum of five members looks good. It should provide wider geographic representation. I wonder if McHenry needs more representation?

Legislative Procedure - I like the idea of a clean separation of legislative procedure. No more will time consuming log-rolling with Delegates or Senators from the other counties be necessary.

County Administrator - The idea of this position is good. (Sounds better than "City Manager.") Properly defined, it will help remove the need for day-to-day supervision by council members and help reduce them to the part-time positions they should be.

Budget and Finance - I am very much in favor of knowing where the money was spent and where it is planned to be spent in our 20 plus million dollar county business. In my experience in big business and other organizations it has always been "Budget vs. Actual."

Code of Ethics and General Provision - I believe that these sections are all good. I think there is a place for "whistle blowers" and their protection in our government -- if they really know the facts. Also, the Charter's transitional passages are important. "The show must go on" while changing from the present to the new system. The existing organization and employees must be protected until the new leaders can justify changes. We must use their specialized knowledge to complete present un-

finished business.

About 40 years ago I served on a Charter Commission in Rocky River, Ohio (population 28,000). Reviewing the proposed Charter for Garrett County takes me back pleasantly to that period. That community benefited greatly from its Charter. I believe Garrett County's Charter will do the same.

Charles O. Morris
Oakland

To the Editor:

On March 24, the Maryland House of Delegates passed the highest tax increase in the state of Maryland. It received 78 votes, all from Democrats.

Last December, Republicans in the House of Delegates presented a balanced budget without a tax increase. While some thoughtful Democrats rallied to its support, the Democrat leadership of this state saw it as a threat to their ability to pay off special interests with taxpayers' money and tried to crush it at every opportunity.

Time and again on the floor of the House, Republicans offered amendments to cut state spending in reasonable and prudent manners. Time and again, Democrats voted en masse for higher spending and therefore higher taxes.

A defining moment for both political parties occurred during the debate on the tax bill. For months Democrats have argued that the Maryland tax system was regressive and we should make it more fair by increasing the amount of taxes paid by wealthy families. First term Republican Delegate John Morgan of Howard County took the floor.

Morgan first displayed the chart Democrats have been using for months to show that Maryland taxes were regressive. Then he displayed his own chart which showed how the tax system would look with the proposed tax increases in place. It looked strikingly familiar to the first chart.

Morgan then overlaid the second chart on the first chart. To the severe embarrassment of House Democrats, the lines on the second chart were identical to the first chart -- with one exception -- they were higher on the graph.

Morgan is, literally, a rocket scientist. But you did not have to be one to

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understand the devastating effect on his presentation. The Democrat tax bill has nothing to do with a regressive tax system. It has absolutely nothing to do with fairness. It has everything to do with a Democrat tax increase on every single hardworking family in the state of Maryland.

Democrats are always willing to increase taxes on cigarettes and liquor because it discourages consumption. Someday they will understand that this very simple rule applies to everything else you tax.

When you tax something you get less of it. The Democrat tax bill will give

Test Results

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cautioned against "jumping to conclusions" on the basis of a single test. At a special workshop in Annapolis, Grasmick and staff of the State Department of Education released first-year results of the assessments and discussed their use in school improvement efforts. The superintendent said theoretical thinking and problem-solving abilities used in the tests are "the hallmarks of excellence for the twenty-first century."

Dr. Grasmick said the tests represent a major departure from traditional measurements of student performance just as schools will have to depart from traditional instructional practices.

"The education community needs to work together to use this test data for reforming our schools for the benefit of all children," the state superintendent said. Grasmick emphasized that accountability standards have not been set for the assessments. Standards will be determined over the next two years.

"The new tests represent a different and higher challenge for schools and students than standardized, multiple-choice tests familiar to generations of students," Dr. Robert Gabrys, assistant state superintendent for the Maryland School Performance Program, said. Unlike those tests, the new state performance tests ask students to apply what they

have learned to simulations of real life situations.

The 1991 tests identify five levels which represent degrees of mastery of new learning outcomes that are only beginning to be incorporated into many local instructional programs. The outcomes were adopted by the State Board of Education in 1990 as part of the Maryland School Performance Program. They represent a high level of performance to be achieved by the year 2000.

The superintendent emphasized that the results of the state assessment program are being released to provide additional information to local school systems for improving curriculum and changing instructional approaches. "The release of the results has only one purpose -- school improvement."

Reforms already underway in Maryland place the state ahead of the nation in reaching higher standards in education, according to the national Council of Basic Education. Ruth Mitchell, a member of the council who studied the new performance tests last year, called the Maryland School Performance Assessment Program "the best test available in the United States." She said the state's new assessment program "is powerful in its potential to ensure a high level of curriculum and instruction for all students."

Dr. Gabrys said test results released today give schools an overview of their students' proficiency. More specific information for school improvement planning will be available in a few weeks.

Teachers, principals, community and business leaders, and news reporters from throughout Maryland participated in the workshop on the assessment results, which was held at the Anne Arundel County Board of Education in Annapolis. A panel discussion with Dr. Grasmick and Dr. Gabrys included Dr. Walter Amprey, Baltimore City superintendent; Dr. Ray Keech, Harford County superintendent; Ms. Jane Stern, president of the Maryland State Teachers Association; and Ms. Elva Bowens, a teacher from Caroline County.

Cast Announced

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Janet Cook, Kurt - Matthew Sincell; Briggita - Erika Durst; Marta - Rita Powell; Gretel - Lyndsie Rush.

Mother Superior - Maurleen Mielenz; Sister Margareta - Barb Taylor; Sister Bernice - Laurel Grant; Sister Catherine - Maria Massi; Sister Agatha - Mary McEwen; Sister Sophia - Donna Cook; and Sister Bertha - Jean Coviello.

Oklahoma" Cast

Men on stage - Jim Harvey, Bill Grant, Tom Swiger, and Tom Hayhurst; First man - Tom Hayhurst; Aunt Eller - Donna Durst; Second man - Jim Harvey; Will - Lowell Leitzel; Laurey - Kimberly Rush; Curley - Tom Peterson; Addie - Linda Sharpless; Jud Fry - Bill Grant; Farmer Carnes - Jim Harvey.

"The Music Man" Cast: Traveling salesman - first, Don Sincell, second, Al Coviello, third, Lowell Leitzel, fourth, Jim Harvey; fifth, Paul Shogren. Newspaper reader - Tom Swiger, Charlie - not cast; Conductor - George Scheffel; Professor Hill - Tom Peterson.

Amaryllis - Lauren Newcomb; Mrs. Paroo - Lisa Thayer; Marian Paroo - Sue Peterson; Winthrop Paroo - David Peterson; Mayor Shinn - Fred Leary; Eulalie Mackecknie Shinn - Kaylen Carlson; Gossiping women - Alma - Bea Cosco; Maud - Hannah Sincell; Ethel - Bobbie Henderson; Mrs. Squires - Barb Taylor; Town councilmen quartet - not cast.

Band members of River City: Leslie Buckel, Adam Durst, Kerry Graybill, David Peterson, Shannon Spurrer, Lauren Newcomb, Jennifer Knieciak, Arlinda King, Amber Newcomb, Jennifer Shipley, T.J. Sanders, Sara Sincell, and Annie Neville.

Crowd for Wells Fargo: Kandi Ashby, Stephen Eiswert, Anissa Jamison, Gina Powell, Megan Redinger, Jenny Finkle, Fern Shaffer, and Shana Sines.

"Showstoppers of Broadway" will feature favorite excerpts from the musicals and will be sponsored by the Garrett Lakes Arts Festival. The dates for the production are July 1, 2, and 3.

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PROVIDING COMMUNICATIONS - A number of radio operators will be helping to provide communications during the Community Walk for Multiple Sclerosis on Saturday, April 4, at Broadford Park. They are in the process of forming a group to provide emergency and public service communications in the Garrett County area. Those taking part in the walk communications are pictured left to right: Kenneth Kenner, Dan Donley, Gerald Wildesen, walk participant and fund raiser representing the State Highway Administration, James McRobie, and Betsy J. Colaw, local walk coordinator. Other members of the Amateur Radio Operators not present for the photo, but helping with the walk are Jackie Kenner, Nina McRobie, and Beth Ferguson.

Local Chapter Of DAR Meets At St. Paul's

The Youghiogheny Glades Chapter, DAR, met March 16 at St. Paul's United Methodist Church in the Youth Room with 13 members present. The meeting was opened with the DAR ritual led by Lillian Reckner, regent, assisted by Ruth Porter, chaplain.

Wilda Sanders gave an article from the defense magazine entitled "The Debate Over Christopher Columbus" by Jeffrey Hart. In a segment from a Canadian broadcasting company show, the columnist asked "Was it a tragedy for Europe to arrive in the then 'New World'?" Columbus was a major figure in what historians call "The Age of Exploration" - the great westward surge of the European peoples. "This is all part of the 500th Anniversary of Columbus' discovery of America."

Juanita Browning read a letter from Beverly Seery, state chairman of American History Month, thanking the chapter for participation in the History Essay Contest. Twenty-nine chapters entered essays with the theme "Famous Women of the American Revolution." The four state winners were Christine Donhardt, fifth grade, Frostburg; Shauna Edana Lee, sixth grade, Salisbury; Sara Jones, sev-

enth grade, Clarksburg, and Michelle Sweeney, eighth grade, Darnestown.

Regent Reckner reported that the Maryland State Society Daughters of the American Revolution awarded the Youghiogheny Chapter with two certificates of merit; one for using television to promote DAR public relations in Maryland and the other for third place in public relations for DAR of Maryland.

Sara Gonder reported from the nominating committee with the slate of officers for the coming year as follows:

Donna Garman, regent; Pauline Parrack, vice regent; Ruth Porter, chaplain; Ann Groves, recording secretary; Clara Bell Brimer, corresponding secretary; Virginia Stemple, treasurer; Martha Kahl, registrar; Juanita Browning, historian; and Betsy Gergoff, librarian. The chapter voted to accept the slate of officers.

Virginia Stemple read a note from State Regent Hensley, thanking Lillian Reckner for her contribution in helping to make the state conference a success. A note from Margaret Gross thanked Lillian for her work as pianist at the luncheon and fashion show. Regent Reckner announced the summer workshop to be held at her home Saturday, June 6, at 10 a.m. James Simms, Garrett County extension agent,

presented the program, "How Safe Is The Food You Eat?" He showed slides from the Maryland Co-op Extension Service and Farm Bureau.

According to Simms, the American farmers have been the most productive in the world for the last 50 years. Eighty percent of the population believe that food is safe. The public's greatest concern is pesticides. Simms claimed that because of CBS television's unresearched announcement on the pesticide Alar, there was a tremendous loss in the apple business. The Food and Drug Administration says that 9 percent of all foods meet or exceed health standards in the United States. Food is better, safer and more abundant today, according to the FDA. The world will need more food in the future. Ten percent of our food is destroyed by pests and disease which farmers must combat. Simms said farm people are honest, hard working, intelligent and independent. Successful farming relies on sound practices and management.

The next meeting of Youghiogheny Glades Chapter will be April 20 at St. Paul's United Methodist Church. Tom Peterson will present a talk on Operation Desert Storm.

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SWANTON

Betty Wildesen is recuperating at home. She was released from Ruby Memorial Hospital, Morgantown, on Friday.

Jeanie and Mick LaPorta, Frostburg, were Sunday dinner guests of Linda and John Lowery.

Sara Friend returned from Bealeton, Va., on Saturday. She was accompanied by David, Andy, and Adam Friend.

On Sunday, Lawre and Randy Virts, Lucinda, Steve and Amber Davis, Mareva and Orval Teets and Richard Gerlach were dinner guests of Linda, Albert, and A.J. Fleming.

Charles, Sonya, and Andy Craver, Oakland, were Sunday dinner guests of Ireta Sweitzer.

Ildra Frantz, Luella Baker, and Mary June Harvey visited Dorothy and Maude Beckman last Thursday afternoon.

Bob and Fannie Rizer, Savage River Road, visited Orval and Mareva Teets on Friday.

Recent dinner guests of Earl, Helen, and Bob Winter were: Barbara, Jim, Jason, Jeff, and Andrea Sweitzer; Kim, Tim, Lyndsie, Elizabeth, Kara and Rebecca Rush, Deer Park.

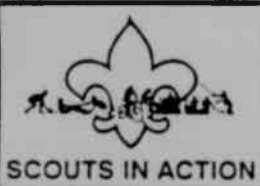
The Mt. Top Gospelaires presented a program of gospel music at Cuppet and Weeks Nursing Home Saturday evening.

Ellis and Mary June Harvey received word of the birth of their fifth great-grandchild this week. Rachel Sterling Van Clief was born to Alan and Cyndra Van Clief, Charlottesville, Va. Her grandparents are Richard and Betty Harvey, New Martinsville, W.Va.

OTTERBEIN U.M. CHURCH NEWS

Those attending the Fifth Sunday Sing at Hoyes United Methodist Church from Otterbein were Pastor Gus Monu, Wanda Maphis, Mary Louise Wilson, Mike Rexrode, Bob Winters, Mary June and Ellis Harvey, Harley Wildesen, Ray Sweitzer, George Rexrode, Richard Gerlach and Orval and Mareva Teets. Choirs from Hoyes, McHenry, Paradise, and Swanton United Methodist churches participated. A special guest group was the Mountain Top Gospelaires.

Revival services will be held each evening at 7 p.m., beginning April 12, and continuing through April 18. The Rev. Charles Teets will be the speaker.



A Spring "Under 21" dance will be held at the Kitzmiller Fire Hall on Friday, April 3, from 6 until 11 p.m. The Kitzmiller Cadette Senior Girl Scouts will crown Mr. and Mrs. Spring by way of a random drawing. A pinata will also be prepared for intermission.

Admission to the dance will be \$1. Refreshments will be on sale. All civilized rules apply, there is no re-admission.



SKI TRAIN ENTERTAINMENT - About 100 persons from the Baltimore-Washington area arrived at the Oakland Railroad Station by "ski train" a few weeks ago, and the last 50 miles of their rail trip featured a variety of entertainment by several local persons. Pictured above, standing left to right, are: G.T. (Good Time) Turtle, Neil Crebs, Fred Crozier, and Jeff Gilbert, who provided music and other fun to the passengers. The skiers spent one day at Wisp Ski Area in McHenry and then traveled to Canaan Valley on Sunday. The ski train was a joint effort by the Mayor and Town Council of Oakland, Deep Creek area motels and restaurants, MARC Train Service, the Maryland Rail Administration, and a number of local volunteers. Planning is already underway for the 1993 ski train.

BITTINGER-GLADES

CHURCH NEWS

The Garrett County Literacy Council is having a tutor training workshop on April 4 and 11 from 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. at St. Paul's United Methodist Church in Grantsville. Anyone wishing to register should call 334-8608.

Harley Detrick is a patient at Allegheny General Hospital, Pittsburgh.

Barbara Herbert was a recent patient at Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Last Saturday, furnishings and equipment were moved into the newly finished education wing of Emmanuel's Church. On Sunday morning, classes were held in the new building, with all classes assembling there except the adult class which had their morning session in the main church. There will be a dedication service in the near future.

Lectors for Sunday worship service were: Nicky O'Brien, St. John's; Margaret Hershberger, Emmanuel; and Leota Baker, Zion.

On Friday evening, April 3, the Roseale Chorus from Irwin, Ohio, will present a musical program at the Cherry Glade Mennonite Church. The time is 7:30 p.m. There are 38 members in this singing group.

This coming Sunday morning the wedding of John Bittinger and Esther Enlow will be held at the Cherry Glade Mennonite Church. A carry-in lunch will be served afterward.

ST. JOHN'S WOMEN MEET

St. John's Women of the ELCA met at the church on March 17 with five members in attendance. Opel Fazenbaker led the topic, "My family, my witness."

The food drive for the Bittinger Pantry will end this month. The group will purchase flowers for Easter Sunday. Health kits will be assembled and collected during the month of May. Members are asked to save their various food labels for the Navajo Evangelical Lutheran Mission.

The daily devotional "Word in Season" was distributed to members. Next month's meeting will be on April 21, with Shirley

held Sunday at Summer Hill, near Johnstown, Pa., and a dinner was held at the Red Wood Restaurant.

BIRTHDAY DINNER HELD
Leora Yaste hosted a birthday dinner for her mother, Mrs. Roy Beitzel, on Sunday. It was the 83rd birthday of Mrs. Beitzel. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beitzel and Hilda and Bertha Beitzel.

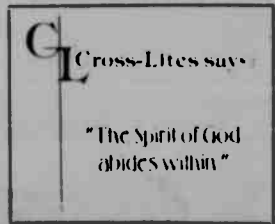
RETURN FROM FLORIDA
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Resh returned home from Florida last week after having spent several weeks there. Sunday afternoon visitors at the Resh home were Darrell Stahl, Sheila Southerly, Tyler and Landon Southerly.

VISIT GREAT-GRANDCHILD
Don and Jane Sealing were in Ellicott City over the weekend visiting Anne and Bill Walters, Michael and Kimberly. They also saw their great-granddaughter, Victoria Evelyn Kraus, who is now five weeks old.

PERSONAL ITEMS
Lottie Brennen visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Buckel on Wednesday in LaVale. Walter Bender, Winder, Ga., who had been in the hospital for quite a while, is now home and recuperating there. He is a brother of Miss Olive Bender.

Sunday afternoon visitors of Martha Glatfelter were Mrs. Judy Harrison and Mrs. Olive Casteel, Pittsburgh; Joanne Scofield, Cleveland, and Lee Glatfelter, Grantsville.

Marvin Beitzel returned from Florida last week.



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There will be communion during the worship service this Sunday, April 5, at St. John's Lutheran Church, ELCA, at 9 a.m., followed by the Sunday School session. The Ladies Aid Society of the church will meet Tuesday, April 7, at 7:30 p.m. instead of on the regular meeting date so it will not conflict with the midweek Lenten services. The midweek Lenten service on Wednesday, April 8, will be at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Accident, at 7:30 p.m. The Rev. Stephen Yelovich is the pastor and the public is invited to attend.

There will be communion during the worship service at St. John's Lutheran Church, Missouri Synod, at 9 a.m., followed by the Sunday School session at 10 a.m. on Sunday, April 5. The joint midweek Lenten service for Zion Lutheran Church, Accident, and St. John's will be held at St. John's on Wednesday, April 8, at 7:30 p.m. The Rev. Ernest Lindner is the pastor and everyone is welcome to attend.

The Cove Kids 4-H Club will present a program to the residents of the Goodwill Menonite Nursing Home, Grantsville, on Monday, April 6, at 6:30 p.m.

The Accident Cultural and Historical Society, along with Branch 5821 of the Aid Association for Lutherans, will sponsor a community Palm Sunday Program on Palm Sunday, April 12, beginning at 2 p.m. The Grantsville Community Choir will present a sacred cantata, "The Third Day." The event will be held at the Flowers Vale Community Center and a free will offering will be accepted.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Shwing attended the funeral of the latter's cousin, E.D. Somers, at Weston,



NATIONAL SCHOOL BREAKFAST WEEK was recently observed at the Friendsville Elementary School. On Wednesday, March 4, parents were invited to have breakfast with their children during this observance. Ninety-six breakfast meals were served by Dottie Frazee, cafeteria manager, and Norma Rodeheaver, assistant. Pictured above, left to right, are Ms. Frazee; Richard Buckingham, food service director; Dr. Jerome Ryscavage, superintendent; and Gary Galloway, principal.

W. Va., on Sunday. An overnight guest of the Schwings during the week was a brother-in-law, Eli Stark, Shinnston, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. George Collins and children, Lee, Noelle, and Malia, McHenry, and Mr. and Mrs. Keith Roberts and family were Saturday supper guests of Mark Halsig and Marci McClive. Mr. and Mrs. Roberts and family visited their grandmother, Mrs. Gertrude Glass, on Sunday at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, where she is a patient. A daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Smith, Char-don, Ohio, arrived to spend some time at the Glass home. Relatives visit Mrs. Glass each day.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ringer report that their grandson-in-law, William Ashby, Swanton, has returned to his home to recuperate after undergoing

shoulder surgery at Garrett County Memorial Hospital last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bender and Jenece visited often with the former's granddaughter, Charisse Maust, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Maust, Accident, at Memorial Hospital, Cumberland, where she was a patient. She was discharged on Tuesday and returned home.

Wednesday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Deniker were Mrs. Mary Deniker, Barton, and Mrs. Juanita Bland, Cumberland. Mr. and Mrs. Deniker were Sunday afternoon visitors of the latter's sister, Mrs. Louise Richter, at Maust's Personal Care Home, Accident.

Mrs. Devon Harman spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Helen Harman, while her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Harman and Danielle, spent the weekend at Clarksburg, W. Va., and participated in the horse show there.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hanft spent Saturday afternoon with Juanita Johnson, Cumberland, and remained overnight guests there. Dr. Richard Boehme, Chevy Chase, and his fiancée, Miss Nancy McCullough, Huntsville, Ala., were also guests. Dr. Boehme presented an evening of music at home by playing the piano. Juanita recently purchased and entertained a number of physicians and staff members of the Sacred Heart Hospital Emergency Room at the Johnson home. Among those attending were Dr. and Mrs. Mark Kimak and daughter, Emily, Dr. and Mrs. Jim Deren and daughter, Victoria, Dr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis and children, Zachary, Eli and Chelsea, Mr. and Mrs. Joey Rank, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Broad-

water and sons, Kitty Darby, Pauline Logsdon, Esther Beachy and Mary Raygor. Mr. and Mrs. Hanft and Juanita and daughter, Lynette, returned to their respective homes on Sunday night after visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Needer, Timonium, on Sunday.

A weekend guest of Mrs. Margaret Friend was Mrs. Paul Kahl, Randallstown. They visited with Mrs. Kahl's twin sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thomas, where a weekend guest was Miss Kathy Thomas, Lexington, Ky. The group visited with other relatives throughout the weekend and the birthday anniversaries of the twins, Mrs. Kahl and Mrs. Thomas (Bertha and Beulah Harman), were celebrated. Their birthdate is March 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett McClintock were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Steve McClintock, where a large number of relatives assembled to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Steve McClintock's brother, Malcolm Broadwater, Finzel. A Sunday dinner guest of the Everetts McClintocks was Miss Donna McClintock, McHenry.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bender and family were guests at a birthday party honoring Christopher Fickes, at his home at Grantsville, to celebrate his 5th birthday anniversary. The Benders were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Art Maust, Salisbury, Pa.

Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hockman were Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bender and family. Other visitors at the Hockman home this week included Miss Jennifer Lytle, Friendsville, Ron Hockman Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald, and Miss Sherri Hockman. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hockman and son, Donald, were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hockman, where cake and ice cream were served to celebrate the 65th birthday anniversary of Lawrence that occurred Wednesday, March 25. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Long and family and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hockman and son, Donald, went to the Lone Star Restaurant, near Markleysburg, Pa., on Saturday

evening where the Longs treated the group to supper to celebrate the birthday anniversary of Lawrence.

Tuesday dinner guests of Mrs. Alfreda Friend were Mrs. George Fint, Aurora, W. Va., Mrs. Gary Carr and son, McHenry, and Elmer Hanft. Friday supper guests were Mr. and Mrs. William Robinson and sons, Friendsville. Keith Friend, Accident, Mrs. Carr and son and Mrs. Friend were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Friend, Romney, W. Va., one afternoon. Mrs. Carr and son, Mr. and Mrs. Robinson and sons, and Mrs. Alfreda Friend were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Fint, Aurora.

Mrs. Betty Richter was a Sunday dinner guest of Dr. Donald Richter, Sheila Edwards and daughters, Oakland, and also visited Mr. and Mrs. Richard Travis at Oakland in the afternoon.

Spending Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Bender was Ryan Yoder, son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Yoder, Accident. Mrs. Bender and children, Michelle and Michael, spent a day with Mrs. Bender's grandmother, Mrs. Viola Miller, Grantsville.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Margroff were Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John George.

Saturday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Glover were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Glover, Friendsville.

Sunday afternoon visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Long were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Meyers, Addison, Pa., and Mrs. Kenny Thomas.

Sunday evening visitors of the Rev. and Mrs. Oren Bender were Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald and granddaughter, Candice.

Trauma/Disaster Short Course To Be Held

The annual Western Maryland Trauma/Disaster Short Course will be held May 2nd and 3rd at Garrett Community College, according to area Emergency medical service and fire training leaders. The course is co-sponsored by GCC, Maryland Fire and Rescue Institute, and the Maryland Institute for Emergency Medical Services System.

This year's program is targeted to all emergency medical services personnel and will supply needed Maryland EMT and CRT certification credits. Courses Curriculum will address emergency medical care needs of the young and old. Responding to Pediatric Emergencies will be taught on May 2nd by instructors from the Children's National Medical Center in Washington, D.C. Lectures on pediatric trauma assessment, respiratory emergencies, immobilization techniques, and case studies will be presented.

Course will be offered on emergency response to the elderly population on Sunday, May 3rd. Dr. Arthur Rubens, from Northern Illinois University, will discuss stabilization of the elderly patient, dealing with death and grieving, legal systems,

etc. An additional program on May 3 will address preventing post traumatic stress in First Responder personnel. Instructors will be Marge Epperson, Selma and Dr. Lee Ross.

The Short Course registration deadline is April 10. Interested EMTs, CRTs, or EMT-Ps should contact Garrett Community College (301-387-7468) for more information.

Campgrounds In State Parks To Be Open Soon

Maryland state park campgrounds across the state are preparing to open for spring and summer camping. State forest camping areas remain open.

In the Western Region, Rocky Gap, Deep Creek Lake, New Germany, The Houck Area of Cunningham Falls, Fort Frederick, and Greenbrier will open on Friday, April 10. Swallow Falls will open its campground on Friday, May 1.

For additional information on Maryland state forests and parks, persons may call (410) 974-3771 in Annapolis.

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"SAVED BY THE BELT" - The seat belt, that is, were this driver and her five passengers in a recent automobile mishap. Sarcia Powers, pictured front left, and her five passengers were northbound on New Germany Road on December 6 of last year when her vehicle slid across the roadway on a patch of snow, struck the embankment, and overturned (as pictured above right). The vehicle was owned by the Garrett County Health Department. All six persons in the vehicle were using their seat belts and thus received only minor injuries. The Maryland State Police who investigated the accident determined that their injuries would have been much more serious had they not been wearing seat belts. Because they set such a good example for other drivers and passengers, the Maryland State Police, McHenry Barrack, this week presented each of them with MSP certificates of appreciation. Making the presentation was First Sgt. D.E. Stanton.

New Commercial Driver's Law To Be Enforced

Maryland State Police are gearing up for strict enforcement of Maryland's new commercial driver's license (CDL) law. The law becomes effective April 1, and state police are warning drivers not to be fooled into thinking the deadline for obtaining a new CDL will be extended.

"Beginning at midnight, we will begin an aggressive enforcement effort to identify anyone in violation of the new law," stated Captain

Raymond D. Cotton, commander, Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division. Appearing on the Maryland State Police Radio Program, a weekly public service broadcast, Captain Cotton said trucks which are being operated by drivers without the new CDL will be sidelined.

"Under this new law, police in Maryland will have the authority to place these commercial motor vehicles out of service," Cotton stated.

Commercial driver's license laws have been enacted in all 50 states and the District of Columbia, according to the U.S. Department of



Transportation.

"More than four million CDL's have been issued nationwide," stated Kevin A. Burke, of the Federal Highway Administration's Office of Motor Carriers. In Maryland, there are approximately 100,000 Maryland drivers who must qualify for the CDL by the April 1, 1992 deadline.

The Motor Vehicle Administration lists the following vehicle information requiring the need for the new CDL:

* Any vehicle with a gross vehicle weight (GVW) of 26,001 or more pounds.

* Any combination of vehicles with a gross combination weight (GCW) of 26,001 or more pounds.

* Any vehicle which is designed to transport 16 or more passengers, including the driver.

* A vehicle of any size which transports hazardous materials which require placarding.

Waivers have been granted for the operation of some vehicles. Persons are not required to have a commercial driver's license to drive a vehicle granted a waiver. However, one must have a Maryland noncommercial driver's license of the appropriate class to operate a vehicle which has been waived.

Certain drivers and vehicles have been waived in Maryland. They include:

* A motor vehicle designed and constructed primarily to provide temporary living quarters for recreational, camping or travel use.

* Fire fighters and rescue vehicle operators.

* Active duty military personnel driving Department of Defense vehicles.

The Motor Vehicle Administration has expanded hours and services for CDL testing. The Motor Vehicle Administration CDL offices are open Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and every Saturday, 8:30 a.m. to noon for driver's license services only. The public can call 1-800-334-7309 or (410) 768-7257 for more information on the commercial driver's license procedures.

The Maryland State Po-

lice Radio Program is a weekly public service broadcast carried on approximately 50 radio stations in Maryland and the District of Columbia.

Portions of this program are carried on the Maryland State Police Newswire, (410) 653-4275.

Thayer Named Top Producer For March



Garrettland Realty, Inc., has named Thomas B. "Tommy" Thayer its "Top Producer" for the month of March. Thayer, who has been associated with Garrettland since 1975, has consistently been presented numerous sales and listing achievement awards.

The Top Producer award is given monthly to the sales associate who has the highest dollar volume of closed transactions for the month.

Thayer amassed over \$600,000 in closed transactions for the month of March and said that his performance was sparked by a "very brisk" early spring market and that the real estate industry county-wide was "much improved" over last year's comparable sales figures.

Thayer is the sales manager for Garrettland and works out of the Deep Creek office.

State Encourages Participation In Tire Recycling

Maryland Environmental Service, the waste management agency of the Department of Natural Resources (DNR), announces the release of the Request for Applications (RFA) to participate in Maryland's Scrap Tire Recycling System. The state is seeking ways to recycle the 4.7 million automobile and truck tires Marylanders throw away every year and the 15 million which have been disposed in 24 stockpiles throughout the state.

Last year, the state enacted a law requiring Maryland Environmental Service to place into operation scrap tire recycling systems by 1993 for counties with populations of more than 150,000 and by 1994 for the smaller counties. In 1994 tires will be banned from landfills.

In order to fund the system and to recycle tires in existing stockpiles, in February the state began collecting a \$1 tire recycling fee on each new tire sold in the state.

Maryland Environmental Service Director George Perdikkas stated, "Stockpiled tires pose a serious threat to public health and safety in that they create a perfect habitat for rodents and mosquitoes and if ignited, they burn with the ferocity of gasoline or kerosene. Tires also take up valuable landfill space, when in fact, they are recyclable."

Maryland Environmental Service is seeking proposals from companies or individuals that can recycle, reuse or dispose of tires without putting them in a landfill. The state is looking for the processor or processors that present the most technically feasible, economical and environmental

tally sound solution to the scrap tire problem.

In responding to the RFA, a firm should inform the state of uses it will make of scrap tires, and any assistance, technical or financial, it may need to get the scrap tire recycling facility operational.

Persons interested in responding to the Request for Applications should contact Larry Walsh at Maryland Environmental Service at 410-974-7254.

Diabetes Education Program Offered By Health Dept.

The Garrett County Health Department will begin a Diabetes Education Program in April to serve the estimated 892 Garrett County residents who have diabetes, according to a health department spokesperson.

The purpose of the program is to help avoid the complications of diabetes such as blindness, nerve damage, kidney disease, heart disease, and skin infections. These complications can be limited by controlling fasting blood sugars to 80-120 mg/dl and monitoring to keep blood sugars at or below 200 mg/dl throughout the day. In order to reach this level of control, diabetics need to have a comprehensive understanding of diabetes. The health department program teaches control through diet, proper use of medication, monitoring, and coping with health problems.

The charge for this service is based on ability to pay with a maximum cost of \$120 which covers materials and five two-hour classes of instruction. Participants will learn to design their own diet, practice glucose monitoring with various techniques, and learn to manage illnesses and exercise while controlling their diabetes. Instruction



COMMUNITY MS WALK PLANS FINALIZED - The planning committee for the 1992 Community Walk for Multiple Sclerosis met this week to finalize plans for the event, which will be held this Saturday, April 4, in the Oakland-Mtn. Lake Park area. Registration will begin at 8 a.m. at Dennett Road School and the five-mile walk will begin from that location. It will be held regardless of the weather conditions. Brenda Brosnihan, of Brenda's Body Shop, will be present to provide warm-up exercises for the walkers. Pastries, fruit, and juice will be available for breakfast. Members of the committee pictured above are, left to right: Gerald Wildesen, volunteer and walk leader; Betsy Colaw, walk coordinator; Doug Ellis, volunteer and registration coordinator; and Ken Kenner, volunteer for the local amateur radio club.

will be provided by a registered nurse and registered dietitian. Persons who wish to learn more about diabetes, may contact the Garrett County Health Department at 334-8111, 895-3111, or 359-0855.

Democrat Club Meeting Changed

The regular meeting of the Garrett County Democratic State Central Committee has been rescheduled for Monday, April 13, at 8 p.m., at the Wisp Resort. Mc-

Henry, according to chairperson Phyllis Trickett.

Plans will be finalized during the meeting for the annual Jefferson-Jackson Dinner, which is scheduled for Friday, May 8, at the McHenry House, at the Wisp Resort.

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OBITUARIES

ESTELLA O. KITZMILLER

Estella O. Kitzmiller, 81, Orrville, Ohio, formerly of Oakland, died Thursday, March 26, 1992, at Dunlop Memorial Hospital, Orrville.

Born July 10, 1910, in Scottsdale, Pa., she was the daughter of Jeremiah and Eva (Trader) Hardesty.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Carl M. Kitzmiller, and one son, Robert Kitzmiller.

Mrs. Kitzmiller was a homemaker and was a member of Calvary Assembly of God Church, Orrville.

She is survived by two daughters, Pam Kitzmiller, Orrville; Mrs. Ralph (Betty) Shaw, West Finley, Pa.; a brother, William Hardesty, Orlando, Fla.; and two grandchildren.

A service was held Saturday at 2 p.m. at the Calvary Assembly of God Church with the Rev. Terry Brown officiating. Interment was in the Crown Hill Cemetery.

The Aulsebrook Funeral Home, Orrville, was in charge of funeral arrangements.

Memorials may be sent to the Wayne County Christian School, 2061 Wadsworth Road, Orrville, Ohio 44667.

RUTH MILLER

Ruth Miller, 85, Luke, died Monday, March 30, 1992, at the Allegheny County Nursing Home, Cumberland.

Born in Swanton on June 24, 1906, she was the daughter of the late Harry and Alice (Mason) Bell. She was also preceded in death by her husband, Charles E. Miller, in 1962, and by one son, Richard Bell.

Mrs. Miller was retired from the lab at the Westvaco Corporation and was a member of Trinity United Methodist Church, Piedmont, W.Va.

Survivors include two sisters, Mary B. Harvey, Bowling Green, Betty Wisenburgh, LaVale; and several nieces and nephews.

Friends were received in the Boal-Warnick Funeral Home, Westernport, where a service was conducted today



AMONG THE SPEAKERS who have participated in the health curriculum at Southern High School recently were Dr. Alvin Friend and his wife, Ann, who presented a talk and slide show concerning the harmful effects of tobacco products. Dr. and Mrs. Friend are volunteers with the American Cancer Society. All ninth grade students at Southern have been the beneficiaries of the school health program, which has featured instruction from the physical education staff as well as a number of presenters from the community. Other speakers have included representatives from the Health Department, Alcoholics Anonymous, Ala-Teen, and the Center for Victims of Domestic Violence. Others who will make presentations later in the curriculum will come from the Garrett County Sheriff's Dept., Wellness Together, and the Southern High administrative and guidance staffs. Topics for the health unit include: drug and alcohol use and abuse, effects of tobacco, legal implications of drugs and alcohol, nutrition and weight control, life-long fitness, steroids, birth control, date rape, sexually transmitted diseases, self-esteem, and AIDS awareness.

at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Meredith Ball officiating.

Interment was in the Philos Cemetery, Westernport.

CHARLES DUCKWORTH

Charles Leo Duckworth, 73, New Creek, W.Va., died Monday, March 30, 1992, at Potomac Valley Hospital, Keyser, W.Va.

Born in Vindex on March 8, 1919, he was the son of the late Ira B. and Lula F. (Durlinger) Duckworth.

Mr. Duckworth was retired from Westvaco wood yard after 36 years experience and was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He was also a member of the First Assembly of God Church, Keyser.

Survivors include his wife, Anna V. (Simon) Duckworth; two daughters, Barbara Howe, Barton; and Linda Karlewitz, Piedmont, W.Va.; three brothers, Russell Duckworth, Piedmont; Carl Duckworth, Westernport; and Clifton Duckworth, Lynn,

Mass.; and three grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Boal-Warnick Funeral Home, Westernport, where a service was conducted today at 1 p.m. at the First Assembly of God Church, Keyser, with the Rev. Donald Golden officiating. Interment was in the Odd Fellows Cemetery, Elk Garden, W.Va.

GLADYS R. BEATTIE

Gladys Regina Beattie, 86, West Elizabeth, Pa., formerly of Elk Garden, W.Va., died Wednesday, March 25, 1992, in the Jefferson Hospital at Elizabeth, Pa.

Born in Elk Garden, she was the daughter of the late Joseph and Mary (Mullen) Willis.

Two husbands, Charles Luffey and Edward Beattie, also preceded her in death.

Survivors include one daughter, Regina J. Kelly, Elk Garden; one son, Charles M. Luffey, Lexington, Pa.; two sisters, Mary E. Willis, Keyser, and Margaret DePrume, Titusville, Fla.; one brother, Martin L. Willis, Bakersfield, Calif.; 13 grandchildren; and 15 great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the David A. Burdock Funeral Home, Kitzmiller. The Rosary was recited there Sunday at 4 p.m.

Mass of Christian Burial was offered on Monday at 10 a.m. at the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, Kitzmiller, with the Rev. Father Martin Feid officiating.

Interment was in the Kalbaugh Cemetery.

RONALD O. TASKER

Ronald O. Tasker, 39, Swanton, died Tuesday, March 31, 1992 at Memorial Hospital, Cumberland.

Born May 15, 1952, in Oakland, he was the son of Ronald E. Tasker, Swanton, and the late Shirley A. (Riggelman) Tasker.

Mr. Tasker was a resident of the Brandenburg Center, Cumberland.

In addition to his father, he is survived by a step-mother, Marion L. (Bickford) Severe Tasker; maternal grandfather, John Riggelman, Kitzmiller; two sisters, Barbara Knotts, Rowlesburg, W.Va.; Donna Lake, Uniontown, Pa.; two brothers, Donald Tasker, Oakland; R. Steven Tasker, U.S. Army stationed in Germany; two step-sisters, Dixie Schmidt, Swanton; Connie Liller, Deer Park; and one step-brother, Dale Severe, Swanton.

A service will be conducted at the Stewart Funeral Home, Oakland, Friday at 11 a.m. with Rev. Ira L. Hoff officiating.

Interment will be in the Kalbaugh Cemetery, Elk Garden, W.Va.

JAMES F. KEMP III

James Fleming Kemp III, 61, McHenry, died Sunday, March 29, 1992, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Born January 20, 1931, in McKeesport, Pa., he was the son of the late Anna L. (Grace) and James F. Kemp Jr.

Mr. Kemp was a self-employed heating and air conditioning contractor. A graduate of Grove City College, he was a member of Aliquippa Lodge 375, A.F. & A.M.; Scottish Rite Masonry Syria; and Shrine Temple Tall Cedars of Lebanon Forest 138.

Survivors include his wife, Marjory (Harris) Kemp; five sons, James F. Kemp and Sam B. Kemp, Madison, Ala.; Howard J. Kemp, West Elizabeth, Pa.; Neil A. Kemp, Seffner, Fla.; and Dale R. Kemp, Clairton, Pa.; two daughters, Louise Wagner, Lakewood, N.J.; and Mary Ellen Latine, Erie, Pa.; one brother, Richard G. Kemp, Pleasant Hills, Pa.;

and 12 grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Newman Funeral Home, McHenry, where a service was conducted Wednesday at 10 a.m. with the Rev. Samuel Wachter officiating. Interment was private.

Oakland Lodge 192, A.F. & A.M., conducted a Masonic memorial service at the funeral home on Tuesday evening.

JOYCE RAFFERTY

Joyce Maxine Rafferty, 56, Frostburg, died Wednesday, April 1, 1992, at Lions Manor Nursing Home, Cumberland.

Born January 1, 1936, in Jennings, she was the daughter of the late Frank and Velma (Wilt) Bittinger.

Mrs. Rafferty was a member of the Eckhart Baptist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Robert M. Rafferty; one son, Ricky Charles Rafferty, Frostburg; one daughter, Jean Marie Broadwater, Grantsville; three brothers, Sherman Bittinger, Ellicott City; Herman Webster Bittinger, Meyersdale, Pa.; Donald Bittinger, Grantsville; one sister, Eleanor Bittinger, Salisbury, Pa.; and four grandchildren.

Friends will be received in the Newman Funeral Home, Grantsville, today from 7-9 p.m. and Friday from 2-4 and 7-9 p.m.

A service will be conducted there Saturday at 11 a.m. with the Rev. Richard Metrick officiating. Interment will be in the Grantsville Cemetery.

Memorial donations may be directed to the Frostburg Area Ambulance Association or the Eckhart Baptist Church.

FRANK H. JORDAN

Frank Henry Jordan, 88, Bayard, W.Va., died Tuesday, March 24, 1992, at Cortland Acres Nursing Home, Thomas, W.Va.

Born January 19, 1904, in Bayard, he was the son of the late Edward and Mary (Rinker) Jordan.

Mr. Jordan was a retired coal miner and timberman. He was a member of the Bayard Church of God.

Survivors include his wife, Olive Edith Jordan; three daughters, Mrs. Hazel Harman, Petersburg, W.Va.; Mrs. Ethel Lee Inwood, W.Va.; and Mrs. Mary Kyle, Bayard; five grandchildren; and six great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Durst Funeral Home, Oakland, where a service was conducted Friday at 1 p.m. with the Rev. William McCallister. Interment followed in the Bayard Cemetery.

JAMES G. FRIEND

James George Friend, 80, Friendsville, died Thursday, March 26, 1992, at Garrett County Memorial Hospital, Oakland.

Born August 27, 1911, in Blaine, W.Va., he was the son of the late Ernest C. and Ethel A. (Kisner) Friend.

Mr. Friend was a member of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Accident. He was retired from Air Products of Bladensburg.

Survivors include his wife, Alta Josephine (Fazenbaker) Friend, two sons, Garry Richard Friend, Friendsville; and James Rickey Friend, Cumberland; one daughter,

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Shirley Audrey Metheny, Friendsville; three brothers, Claude Friend, Toledo, Ohio; Simeon Friend, Uniontown, Pa.; and Raymond Friend, Cadiz, Ohio; two sisters, Minnie Thomas, Merritt Island, Fla.; and Edith Frantz, Hagerstown; eight grandchildren; and eight great-grandchildren.

Friends were received in the Newman Funeral Home, Friendsville.

A service was conducted Saturday at 2 p.m. at St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Accident, with the Rev. Stephen Yelovich and the Rev. Michael Robinson. Interment was in the church cemetery.

Memorials may be directed to the Northern Garrett County Rescue Squad.

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dent - Monday, Tuesday, Thursday; Bull's Restaurant, Bloomington - Monday, Thursday; Finzel Fire Hall, Finzel - Tuesday, Thursday; Old Mill Grill, Friendsville - Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday; Old Mill Restaurant, Gorman - Tuesday, Thursday; Starmer Hill Apartments, Grantsville - Tuesday, Thursday; Jennings Community Building, Jennings - Monday, Wednesday, Friday; Kitzmiller Community Building, Kitzmiller - Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday; Oakland Senior Center, Mtn. Lake Park - Monday, Wednesday, Friday; Swanton Community Building, Swanton - Monday, Tuesday.

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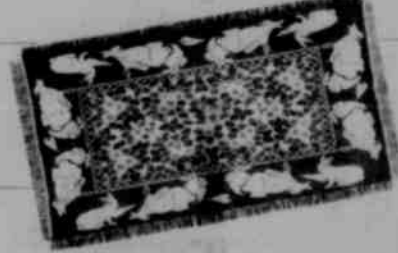
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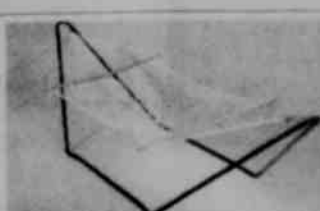


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AWARDS GIVEN TO FOOD SERVICES - The Garrett County Health Department recently recognized several area food service facilities with Incentive Awards for Outstanding Effort in Quality Food Service. The food facilities were judged by a health department sanitarian and were chosen for consistently exhibiting superior quality food service. The facilities named for the award were Hav-A-Lot, Northern High School cafeteria, Southern Middle School cafeteria, Hilltop DeLita and McDonald's of Oakland, Hilltop DeLita and McDonald's were pictured in last week's issue. Shown in the photo above are employees at Southern Middle



School cafeteria. In the front row, left to right, are Sandra Friend, Marnie Rackart, and Daisy Murray. In the back row are June Hofschneider, Jean Rackart, Larry Schroyer (cafeteria manager), Tina Buckel (health dept. sanitarian), and Dorothy Knotts. In the photo at right are employees of Northern High School cafeteria. They are, left to right, Lucille Giotelly, Rose McClintock, Wanda Tabler, Ms. Buckel, Beverly Frazee, Mary Frantz, and Ruth Georg. In the photo below, same order, are employees of Hav-A-Lot front row, Mary Smith and Lillian Fazenbaker. In the back row, same order, are Faye Orendorff (owner) and Ms. Buckel.



WVU Students To Help Design Electric Car

A team of West Virginia University students from the departments of mechanical engineering and electric engineering could help determine the fuel used to power some of the next generation of cars and trucks.

The students and their advisors, selected from a field of 67 applicants from across the United States and Canada, will join 29 other colleges or universities in exploring the potential of hybrid electric vehicles as a means of practical, environmentally friendly personal

transportation. The schools will compete in the 1993 Ford Hybrid Vehicle Challenge.

A hybrid electric vehicle (HEV) is a vehicle with a primary energy source from electric battery power and an auxiliary power unit as a supplement to the primary source.

Participating in the "conversion vehicle" class of the Challenge, the WVU team will convert a 1992 Ford Escort station wagon into a vehicle that uses electric battery power as a primary energy source, with an auxiliary power unit fueled by ethanol, a methanol blend (MEB) or gasoline as a backup fuel.

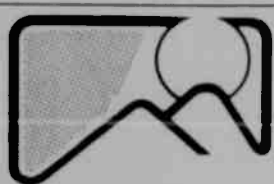
The 1993 Ford Hybrid

Electric Vehicle Challenge is sponsored jointly by the Ford Motor Company, the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) and the Society of Automotive Engineers (SAE). According to Helen Petruskas, Ford vice president, environmental and safety engineering, this type of competition

should be a "triple win" for everyone involved.

Petruskas said, "First of all, you get good engineering ideas. Second, you excite students about the possibilities that are open to them from a career standpoint in our industry, and perhaps company. Finally, the Chal-

GARRETT COUNTY MEMORIAL HOSPITAL



The Changing American Hospital Keeping Care Affordable

The following article was prepared by administrative staff members of Garrett County Memorial Hospital. It is the fourth in a series of articles designed to keep the public informed about its local hospital.

In the transformation that is reshaping the American hospital, two things have stayed the same. One is Garrett County Memorial Hospital's commitment to high-quality care. The other is our commitment to care that people can afford. Unfortunately, these days the concept of affordable hospital care may seem like an impossibility.

But a closer look shows that hospitals are making real progress in holding down costs. One way that's popular with everyone is by keeping patients out of expensive hospital beds when less costly alternatives are available. Between 1983 and 1990, hospitals took one of every 15 beds out of service. The number of patients hospitalized and the time those patients stayed in the hospital dropped significantly. But hospital outpatient visits - usually preferred by patients as well as those who pay the bills - rose 40 percent.

The strategy is paying off. For years, annual growth in hospital spending has been held to less than two percent - about that of the overall economy.

Why, then, does everybody complain about hospital costs? Why does the nation's overall health care bill continue to rise? Three factors are pushing costs up.

1) New technology offers help for a longer and better life, but it carries a high price tag. Nationally, the annual cost of saving sick babies in our high-tech neonatal units runs about \$1.5 billion. Advances such as hip replacement, coronary artery bypass grafts, dialysis for chronic kidney failure, CT scanning, and organ transplantation account for at least half the increase in costs over the past 10 to 20 years, according to experts.

2) Patients admitted to hospitals today are those who need the most expensive care. As our society ages and the shift to outpatient care continues, patients in hospital beds are the very sickest, and they need more highly trained workers to care for them.

3) Costs of the goods and services hospitals buy have outstripped general inflation. Salaries, for example, have risen rapidly as hospitals compete with other employers to recruit and retain nurses and other professionals in short supply. And hospitals are more labor-intensive than most other industries.

Holding down hospital costs isn't easy, but hospitals won't stop trying. We're committed to working with purchasers and insurers to make sure that everyone can afford health care. We're constantly on the lookout for ways to deliver only needed services, and to deliver them with quality and your pocketbook in mind.

Hospitals are going to keep working on the challenge of keeping care within everyone's budget while maintaining the high quality that Americans want and deserve. Our goal is to make hospital care worth every penny - and to make "affordable hospital care" not an impossibility but a reality.

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Small Business Scanner



This article is one of an ongoing series designed to support the growth and development of small businesses in Garrett County. It was written by Sandy Major, a counselor for the Small Business Development Center and a Business Training Coordinator at Garrett Community College. The staff of the SBDC invite interested persons to call 387-6666, ext. 180 to learn more about the free counseling services that are available for those starting or operating an area business.

Focusing on our "Moments Of Truth"

The role of small businesses that provide services for customers is more important in today's economy than ever before. More than three quarters of all jobs created in the United States during the last decade have been in service industries. In Garrett County, more than 50 percent of those employed work for service-related businesses. Service-oriented businesses, which include restaurants, resorts, motels, retail stores, hospitals, cleaners, cleaning services, home maintenance services, marinas, and banks are a vital part of our local economy.

The lifeblood of these businesses is repeat customers. As customer loyalty increases over time, the customers' value to the business increases. While customers are seeking quality products, they also want to be treated well and will return to places that emphasize quality customer service. Sixty-eight percent of customers who stop doing business with a particular establishment do so because of employee indifference toward the customer. When customers are satisfied with the service they return again and again.

What is a customer worth to a business? The average grocery store customer will spend \$100 a week at that store. Over a 10-year period this adds up to \$50,000. The average unhappy customer will tell his or her story to at least nine other people. The impact of losing one customer is substantial, but the financial implications of losing up to 10 more as a result of one unhappy customer is overwhelming.

It's vital, then, that those working with customers provide quality customer services that will bring the customers back. How does this happen? It begins with the management of the business knowing the customers, understanding their needs, and making sure that the service is in line with those needs. Once that is done, managers need to train their employees to provide service that is consistent with these needs.

Jan Carlson, president of Scandinavian Airlines revitalized his airline by training his employees to successfully deal with "moments of truth." A moment of truth is defined as "an episode in which the customer comes into contact with aspect of the organization and gets an impression of the quality of its service." Carlson believes that each employee works with a customer controls the outcome of "moments of truth" through his or her behavior toward the customer. If the employee is unfriendly or uncooperative, the moment of truth is negative. If the employee is friendly and cooperative the moment of truth shines. Making Scandinavian Airlines profitable by focusing on customer service was an incredible undertaking since it involved providing customer service and teamwork training for thousands of employees.

It is often easier for smaller businesses to achieve a level of service quality that outshines a larger company because changes can be made quickly and it's easier to help people develop their skills. Soon Garrett County will be in the midst of a new season that will fill our businesses with local customers as well as visitors. Now is a good time to focus our attention on assuring that "the moments of truth" in our businesses will all be shining ones.

length is really a kind of template for what we need much more of -- cooperation between government and industry.

Professor Donald Lyons, chair of WVU's department of mechanical engineering, said, "Our team members have not been decided as yet, but we expect a major portion of their work to start this summer. Some of our faculty members who will guide the project include Professors Roy Nutter, chair of the department of electrical engineering, and Nigel Clark, department of mechanical and aerospace engineering."

For the next 16 months the students will put classroom learning to practical, real-world application as they design, build and test their vehicles.

To help them in their endeavor, team representatives attended a two-day workshop in Dearborn, Mich., on Feb. 28-29, which focused on management skills and HEV-related technology and safety.

At an official presentation ceremony Feb. 29, they were given a symbolic key to their Escort station wagon by Allan Gilmour, president, Ford Automotive Group, and Albert Chesnea, DOE's deputy secretary for transportation technologies. Schools will be eligible for additional funds from the U.S. Department of Energy for electing to use an alternative fuel as backup in their design.

Twelve schools will build their vehicle from the ground up while 18 will convert a Ford station wagon to a hybrid. Judging will take place in June 1993, according to Ford's schedule. In October, Ford representatives will visit teams to monitor their progress. Next March Ford representatives will again visit the schools to ensure completion of the vehicles. In June, 1993, the judging will be held and the winners named.

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Johnstons Will Celebrate 60th



An open house will be held this Sunday, April 5, at the home of James and Dessie Johnston to honor them on the occasion of their 60th wedding anniversary.

Deanna Johnson To Wed Joseph Bishop



Deanna Lynn Johnson and Joseph Allen Bishop announced this week their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

Miss Johnson is the daughter of Robert H. Johnson and Clara M. Friend, both of Oakland. Mr. Bishop is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Bishop, Aurora, W. Va.

Miss Johnson is a 1987 graduate of Southern High School and is presently attending Garrett Community College. She is employed by William G. Savage, D.D.S., Oakland.

Mr. Bishop is a 1988 graduate of East Preston High School and is presently

sary. The event will be held from 2 to 4 p.m. All friends and relatives are invited. The Johnstons reside at 1106 Pittsburgh Ave., Mtn. Lake Park.

employed by Bausch and Lomb, Inc., Mtn. Lake Park. The wedding will take place on June 14 at 2 p.m. at the Evangelical Free Church, Mtn. Lake Park. A reception will follow the ceremony at the Oakland Fire Hall. Invitations are being sent.

Martin-Mallow Vows Exchanged

Melody Heather Martin and Jason Lee Mallow were recently wed during a private ceremony held in Cumberland.

Heather is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William J. Martin, Grantsville. She is a graduate of Northern High School, Accident, and International Beauty School, Cumberland. She is presently employed at Flushing Shirt Manufacturing Company, Grantsville.

Mr. Mallow is the son of Grayson Mallow, Flintstone, and Janet Mallow, Cumberland. He is a graduate of Flintstone High School and attended Allegany Community College. He is presently employed as a salesman at Sani-Dairy, Inc., Cumberland.

The couple now reside at Rt. 2, Frostburg.

Mrs. Elva Tasker Celebrates 92nd

Mrs. Elva Tasker, a native of Garrett County and resident of Swanton, will celebrate her 92nd birthday on April 12. A card shower has been planned for her at Rt. 1, Swanton, Md., 21561.

Mrs. Tasker is a homemaker and gardener, and a member of the Walnut Bottom Assembly of God. She and her husband, the late Jake Tasker, had four children. She has eleven grandchildren and several great-grandchildren.

Marriage Permits Recently Issued

Eight couples applied for their marriage licenses this week, according to David Martin, clerk of Garrett County Circuit Court. One couple requested that their names not be published.

William James Mouser, 46, and Shirley Iris Barcus, 45, both of Grafton, W. Va. Edward Charles Wolfe, 23, Eglon, W. Va., and Kendra Dale Tressler, 19, Mountain Lake Park.

Raymond Leroy Nicklow Jr., 40, and Penny Ellen Deavers, 34, both of Smithfield, Pa.

Tracy Scott Wheeler, 29, and Carol Ann Lipscomb, 40, both of Clarksburg, W. Va.

Charles Michael Kiser, 23, and Sherri Lynn Haines, 19, both of Smithfield, Pa.

Brian Keith Calvert, 21, Masontown, W. Va., and Roseann Marie Yoke, 16, Reedsville, W. Va.

Frank Salvatore Mattis II, 20, Uniontown, Pa., and Angela Marie Katherine, 17, Merrittstown, Pa.

Miss Warnick To Wed Mr. Holtzschneider



Morris D. Warnick announces the engagement and forthcoming marriage of his daughter, Melanie J. Warnick, to Greg A. Holtzschneider, son of Cecil R. Holtzschneider and Donna J. Shafer, Accident. Miss Warnick is also the daughter of the late Deborah Beal-Zembover.

Miss Warnick will be a 1992 graduate of Northern High School. Mr. Holtzschneider is a 1988 graduate of Northern High School and will graduate from Frostburg State University in May of this year. He is employed by the Western Maryland Scenic Railroad Development Corporation, Cumberland.

The wedding is planned for August 8, 1992, at 2 p.m. at the Cherry Glade Mennonite Church, Accident-Bittinger Road. A reception will follow at the Casselman Sportmen's Club, Grantsville. Invitations are being sent, but all friends and relatives are welcome to attend.

Miss Stanton Becomes Bride Of Mr. Walker In January Ceremony



Laurie Nicole Stanton and Nathan William Walker were united in marriage on Saturday, January 4, 1992. The double-ring ceremony took place at the Bethel Holiness Church, Lonaconing, with the Rev. George Loar officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Terry L. Stanton and Linda S. Stanton, Frostburg. The groom is the son of George S. and Linda B. Walker, also of Frostburg.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride was escorted to the altar by her father. The bride chose a gown of bridal satin with a sweetheart neckline. The sequin lace applique sleeves were accented with lace applique. The full skirt and sweep train were accented by a large bow and peplum. The bridal veil was of Juliet bond accented with Venise lace and side treatment of pearls and sequin leaves and shooting pearls. Puff was accented with scattered pearls and a short bridal illusion.

Serving as maid of honor was Maggie Rawe. Bridesmaids were Trina Rounds and Melissa Thomas. Best man was Charlie Keister. Groomsmen were George S. Walker III and Jesse Opel. Junior ushers were Tim Stanton and Matt Sullivan. Flower girl was Jodie Fratz and ring bearer was Jacob Sullivan. Flower arrangements on the altar were in memory of Steven Keister and Brophine Walker.

Piano music was provided by Tracey Giotfelty. Vocalists were David, Camilla and Maggie Rawe. The guest book was attended by Vicki Stark.

The reception was held immediately following the ceremony at the Eastern Garrett fire hall. The food was catered by Leslie Weaver. Punch bowls were attended by Jill Walker and Erin Walker Henry. The wedding cake was baked by Shelby Gable and cut and served by Lynn Stanton and Janine Stanton.

Music was provided by disc jockey Jim Van of WKGO, Cumberland.

The bride was guest of honor at a pre-nuptial shower given by Maggie Rawe at the

home of Dr. and Mrs. David Rawe.

Mrs. Walker is a student at Frostburg State University. Mr. Walker is employed by Double D Logging, Frostburg. The couple is residing at Long Stretch.

Sanders Couple To Renew Vows

Kimberly S. (Beckman) Sanders, Mtn. Lake Park, and Timothy D. Sanders, who is currently serving as a second class petty officer in the U.S. Navy at Virginia Beach, Va., have announced that they will renew their marriage vows in a ceremony to be held Saturday, May 2, at 1 p.m., in St. Mark's Lutheran Church, Oakland.

A reception will follow immediately at the American Legion.

Mrs. Sanders is the daughter of Carolyn Beckman, Mtn. Lake Park, and Bennie J. Beckman, Deep Creek Lake. She is a 1981 graduate of Southern High School. She is also a graduate of Tri-State Beauty Academy and is employed at Jagged Edge, Oakland.

Mr. Sanders is the son of Don and Catherine Sanders, Oakland, and is a 1985 graduate of Southern High School.

Public Notices

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The Garrett County Board of County Commissioners is requesting proposals from qualified firms for Professional Services in relation to providing an E-911 Addressing Program for Garrett County.

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4-H Club News

NORTHGLADE
by Bobby Schmidt,
reporter

There were 12 members and five adults present at the regular meeting of the North Glade 4-H Club on March 24.

The club gave reports on wildlife and also played a game, "Colors in Nature." The Achievement Dinner was also discussed.

The North Glade Club served refreshments at the craft sale held at the Oakland fire hall.

This month's meeting will be held April 8.

RED HOUSE
by Tammy Holler, reporter

The March 18 meeting was called to order by Lori Evans. Eliza Green led the pledges. Joyce Noel is going to make the centerpiece for the Achievement Dinner on April 4.

Tammy Holler gave a talk on livestock judging. Any 4-Her interested should call Tammy at 334-4034. Classes will start in April or early May.

This month's demonstration was given by Alan Warsaw on his wood working project. The meeting was adjourned by Lori Evans and seconded by Alan Warsaw.

Ms. Rodeheaver To Marry Mr. Tichnell



Gary and Sandra Rodeheaver announce the engagement of their daughter, Tina Louise, to James Richard Tichnell, son of Jerry and Janet Tichnell.

Miss Rodeheaver is a graduate of Northern High School and is employed at Denny's in Oakland.

Mr. Tichnell is a graduate of Valley High School and Allegany Community College. He is employed at Treasure Island and is also a seasonal ranger at Deep Creek Lake State Park.

The wedding will take place on August 8 at The Green (Sang Run Park). A reception will follow. Invitations will be sent.

India is about one-third the size of the United States, yet has over three times as many people.

Shelly D. Pritchard Becomes March Bride of Matthew Boyd



Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Pritchard, Windsor, Pa., have announced the marriage of their daughter, Shelly Dawn Pritchard, to Matthew Thomas Boyd. The wedding ceremony took place Saturday, March 6, 1992, at St. John's UCC Church in Dallastown, Pa., with the Rev. Curtis Weber officiating.

The bride is a graduate of

North York Christian Academy, and the bridegroom is a graduate of York Area Vocational Technical School and is employed at Giehner Shelter Systems, Red Lion, Pa.

The groom is the son of Sterling Lee Boyd and Mrs. Joan (Boyd) Henry.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Vance, Mtn. Lake Park.

Miss Pridgeon To Wed Mr. Hinebaugh



Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Pridgeon, Burleson, Tex.,

have announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Shelly L. Pridgeon, to Kriss E. Hinebaugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Q. Hinebaugh, Oakland.

Ms. Pridgeon is a 1989 Burleson High School graduate.

Mr. Hinebaugh is a 1981 graduate of Southern High School and graduated in 1988 from Frostburg State University's School of Business. He is currently employed with the Government Service Administration in Fort Worth, Tex.

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TRIAx CABLEVISION CUSTOMERS:



As I stated in my last letter, Triax has made a commitment to our Oakland customers to keep you informed of the progress and efforts that we have made in order to correct the system problems that have occurred in your service area.

As of the date of this letter, we have employed the engineering services of Channel Master, Inc. Channel Master is a cable television engineering firm located out of Smithfield, N.C. Channel Master's expertise is in the installation and maintenance of the equipment we are currently using in the Oakland system. They have been flown in at our expense in order to isolate and repair any problems that may have caused service disruption in the past.

In the event these efforts are not successful, Triax's commitment in correcting this problem will continue even if that requires total replacement of the existing equipment or using an alternative means of distributing its signal to the Oakland system.

I would again like to extend our sincere appreciation for your patience during this frustrating time. I would also like to extend my apologies for any interruption of service that you may experience as we continue our repair efforts.

William Critchfield
Regional Manager